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McCulloughi GARDEN BOOK 1953



# You Too-Can Have A Beautiful Lawn

# START RIGHT! SOW McCULLOUGH'S LAWN SEED

Be sure the soil has good drainage and the seed bed is fine, smooth and mellow. Careful consideration should be given to the kind of seed used. The cost of the seed represents the smallest part of the investment. It is false economy to save a few cents by purchasing Iawn seed from a questionable source, only to be annoyed later by repatching a weedy turf or being required to do the entire work over.

Select a calm day and sow half the quantity one way and the remaining half at right angles. Seed at the rate of 1 pound to 200 square feet on new lawns or 100 to 150 pounds per acre. It requires about one-half as much seed for an established lawn. A thick sod is the best protection against weeds. The seed should be covered by light raking and a top dressing of peat moss or humus. The lawn is then ready for rolling. If watering is necessary, use a fine spray to prevent washing.

# McCullough's Acme Superfine LAWN SEED

As the name implies, this mixture is the finest that modern seed-cleaning machinery can produce. Over 99.90 percent free from weeds. It contains only the plump seeds which produce the strong, healthy plants. It is a scientific combination of extra heavy Kentucky Blue Grass, Fancy Red Top and Creeping Bent. All deep-rooted permanent grasses, free from any coarse grasses. Truly the best lawn seed obtainable.

Lb. \$1.50; 3 lbs. \$4.35; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$14.00; 20 lbs. \$26.00; 25 lbs. \$32.50.

# McCullough's Emerald LAWN SEED

Our standard mixture that has proved satisfactory to our customers over a period of many years. Produces a good, clean, permanent turf. Composed of recleaned Kentucky Blue Grass, Fancy Red Top, Creeping Red Fescue, White Clover and other fine grasses all carefully blended. Emerald will give satisfaction.

Lb. \$1.30; 3 lbs. \$3.80; 5 lbs. \$6.25; 10 lbs. \$12.50; 20 lbs. \$24.00; 25 lbs. \$30.00.

ALL SEEDS WE SELL ARE TESTED FOR PURITY AND GROWING QUALITIES FOR YOUR PROTECTION

# McCULLOUGH'S LAWN SEED

## McCULLOUGH'S QUEEN CITY

This reliable, time-tested mixture is composed of Blue Grass, Red Top, Rye Grass and White Clover. It can be depended on to produce a beautiful and permanent lawn.

Lb. \$1.00; 3 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$4.75; 10 lbs. \$9.50; 20 lbs. \$16.90.

#### McCULLOUGH'S SHADY NOOK

Many beautiful lawns are marred by bare spots under trees, shrubbery, and near buildings. Shady Nook is composed of an excellent selection of fine grasses that will withstand such conditions better than those in our other mixtures. It is important that soil fertility and moisture supply is plentiful in places getting but little sunshine.

Lb. \$1.20; 3 lbs. \$3.50; 5 lbs. \$5.75; 10 lbs. \$11.50; 25 lbs. \$27.50.

#### McCULLOUGH'S TERRACE MIXTURE

For high situations where dryness and poor soil are conditions to be contended with. It is composed of grasses that should succeed under these conditions and produce a good turf.

Lb. \$1.30; 3 lbs. \$3.80; 5 lbs. \$6.25; 10 lbs. \$12.50; 20 lbs. \$24.00.

#### McCULLOUGH'S WOODLAND SHADE

Our selection of grasses that will tolerate shade. Composed of Creeping Red Fescue, Perennial Rye Grass, Red Top and Blue Grass. Lb. 95c; 3 lbs. \$2.75; 5 lbs. \$4.50; 10 lbs. \$9.00; 20 lbs. \$16.60; 25 lbs. \$20.75.



McCULLOUGH'S LAWN SEED MIXTURES DELIVERED TRANSPORTATION PREPAID



# Greens and Fairways Special Fertilizer Mixture



## PROVED ON THE GOLF COURSE! PERFECT FOR THE FINEST LAWNS!

While the high nitrogen formula of G & F costs somewhat more per pound than ordinary general-purpose fertilizers, a smaller amount of this special mixture is needed at each application. This fact, coupled with the long-lasting effect of G & F, which saves labor by reducing the number of applications required, actually makes it one of the most economical turf builders you can secure. You'll be proud of your lawn when you use G & F Fertilizer. 25 lbs. \$1.90; 100 lbs. \$6.00.

Apply 1 to 3 pounds per 100 square feet (10 ft. x 10 ft. area).

18 in.

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FOR COMPLETE LIST OF FERTILIZERS, SEE PAGES 51 AND 52

#### VIGORO SPREADERS

Will spread any kind of chemical or commercial fertilizer, as well as grass seed. Equipped with selective feed control. All models are equipped with rubber tires. Prepaid in Cincinnati and suburbs. Capacity Width



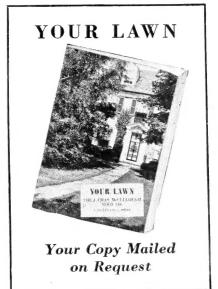
SPIKE DISK AERATOR Designed especially

> Supplies the proper kind of aeration for the lawn and permits retention of moisture in the soil. Should be used before reseeding, fertilizing and top-dressing the lawn.

for home lawns

No. 8 T. Aerator . \$17.00





# McCULLOUGH'S TURF and FARM GRASSES

All grasses perennial except as indicated

BENT, ASTORIA, HIGHLAND or COLONIAL (Agrostis tenuis). Excellent all-round Bent for lawns, greens, parks and playing fields. Grows on a wide range of soils; creeps mainly by under ground root stalks or rhizomes, making a deep reinforced sod. It seldom produces many stolons or surface runners, thus lessening the amount of top dressing and watering. Sow about 3 pounds to 1000 square feet.

Lb. \$1.85; 3 lbs. \$5.40; 25 lbs. \$40.00.

BENT, SEASIDE or COOS COUNTY (Agrostis maritima). A superlative Bent for seeding putting greens or for lawns that can receive special attention, including top dressing and regular watering. Produces luxuriant matted turf. Sow about 3 pounds per 1000 square feet.

Lb. \$1.60; 3 lbs. \$4.65; 5 lbs. \$7.50.

BENT, GERMAN. This is a composite of Colonial types and a small percentage of Velvet. Excellent for home lawns and

Lb. \$1.60; 3 lbs. \$4.65; 5 lbs. \$7.50.

BENT, VELVET (Agrostis canina). Raritan strain is disease resistant and makes a beautiful turf of extra fine texture. Pale green.

BERMUDA (Cynodon dactylon). 35 pounds per bushel. A vigorous creeper used principally in the South. Can also be used as an annual grass in the North.

Lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

BERMUDA U-3. A fine-bladed strain of Bermuda grass sponsored by U. S. D. A. No seed available as yet.

BLUE GRASS, KENTUCKY (Poa pratensis). A most valuable grass for lawn and permanent pasture on good soils without alkaline reaction. For lawns, it is best combined with other grasses which develop more rapidly, as Blue Grass takes several seasons to establish.

Lb. \$1.15; 3 lbs. \$3.40; 5 lbs. \$5.50; 10 lbs. \$11.00; 20 lbs. \$20.00; 25 lbs.

#### BLUE GRASS, MERION (B-27).

A superior Blue Grass. Drought resistant, faster spreading, and holds its color better in hot weather. One pound sows 700 to 1000 square feet. Can be sown with ordinary Blue Grass or alone. Supplies increasing but limited.

Oz. 60c; ½lb. \$3.50; lb. \$6.00, postpaid

BLUE GRASS, CANADIAN (Poa compressa). For lawns; inferior to Kentucky Blue Grass. Excellent in bank or terrace mixtures.

Lb. \$1.10; 3 lbs. \$3.25; 5 lbs. \$5.25; 25 lbs. \$23.75.

POA TRIVIALIS (Rough Blue Grass). This "Blue Grass of the Shade," is particularly adapted to building or moist tree shade. Somewhat brighter green turf than Blue Grass. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet. Lb. \$1.00; 3 lbs. \$2.85; 5 lbs. \$4.50; 25 lbs. \$20.50.

FESCUE, ALTA (Festuca elatior). 30 pounds per bushel. An improved strain of tall Fescue, deep-rooted, hardy perennial that is adapted to a wide variety of soils and climate. In addition to its forage value, is excellent for airport and athletic turf. Seed for pasture 14 to 18 pounds and turf at 30 to 40 pounds per acre.

Lb. 75c; 3 lbs. \$2.15; 5 lbs. \$3.55; 25 lbs. \$16.25.

FESCUE, CHEWINGS (Festuca rubra var. fallax). This fine-leaved grass produces a bright green turf, especially well adapted for tree shade, on account of its drought resistance. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet. Lb. \$1.35; 5 lbs. \$6.50; 25 lbs. \$31.25.

FESCUE, PENN STATE CHEWINGS. A cross of several selections of Chewings Fescue, originally worked in experiments from the U. S. Golf Association Trials. Excellent in a blend with other turf grasses. Lb. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$7.50.

FESCUE, CREEPING RED (Festuca rubra). A more vigorous creeper, withstanding heavy wear and thriving on all types of soil. Excellent for lawn and fairway uses, as well as a shade grass. Winter hardy and drought resistant. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet.

Lb. \$1.35; 5 lbs. \$6.50; 25 lbs. \$31.25.

FESCUE, F-74 CREEPING RED. A Penn State selection, disease resistant and less susceptible to leaf mold. Excellent for a very fine turf.

Lb. \$1.65; 5 lbs. \$7.75.

FESCUE, ILLAHEE. A new improved strain of Creeping Red, very vigorous, holding its color well the year round. Roots deeply and forms a thick turf. It is used in mixtures or alone. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet.

Lb. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$7.50.

FESCUE, KENTUCKY 31 (Festuca elation var. arundinacea). A local strain of tall Fescue having similar characteristics to Alta Fescue. Its principal difference is its ability to withstand certain diseases that are prevalent in the Central States area. Excellent for hill and areas unable to support Blue Grass, Orchard Grass, etc. Sow 14 to 18 pounds per acre. Lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.55; 25 lbs. \$16.25.

FESCUE, MEADOW or ENGLISH BLUE (Festuca elatior). 24 pounds per bushel. Sometimes known as Evergreen Grass. Used largely for permanent pasture. 24 pounds per acre is required if sown alone. or in mixtures, 12 to 18 pounds. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.35.

ORCHARD GRASS (Dactylis glomerata). 14 pounds per bushel. Particularly suited to upland, loamy or moderately stiff soil. Requires 1½ to 2 bushels per acre; if with Red Clover, 1 to 1½ bushels of Orchard Grass to 5 or 6 pounds of Red Clover. For seed, the same quantity of Red Clover and ¾ bushel of Orchard Grass.

## SPECIAL MIXTURES

PLAYGROUND AIRPORT **CEMETERY** ATHLETIC FIELD FAIRWAY

Consult our turf specialist about your particular turf problems.

RED TOP, UNHULLED (Agrostis alba). 14 pounds per bushel. Sow at the rate of 30 pounds per acre. See Fancy Red Top.

RED TOP, FANCY RECLEANED (Agrostis alba). 30 pounds per bushel. Used as one of the principal ingredients in lawn seed mixtures. Also splendid for pasture, making a fair hay crop. Requires 6 to 8 pounds alone, or 3 to 4 pounds to acre in mixtures. For lawns, 4 pounds per 1000 square feet. Lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.

RYE GRASS, DOMESTIC. 24 pounds per bushel. Also known as Western Rye Grass. It is inclined to be a quick-growing annual, valuable in lawn mixtures as a nurse crop; succeeds well on almost any type of soil. Valuable in south central states for winter pasture. Sow 20 pounds per acre. Lb. 30c; 5 lbs. \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$5.50.

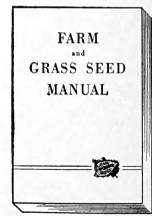
RYE GRASS, PERENNIAL (Lolium perenne). 24 pounds per bushel. Often called English Rye Grass. A quick-growing grass most suitable for mixtures, pastures, hay and lawns. Succeeds well on almost any soil not water logged and affords good, quick nutritious grazing. If alone, requires 1½ bushels per acre. In mixtures, from 2 to 3 pecks per acre. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.35; 25 lbs. \$10.00.

TALL MEADOW OAT GRASS (Arrhenatherum elatius). 11 pounds per bushel. A very fine grass which is suitable for uplands soils and especially valuable for mixture with Orchard Grass. Requires alone 1½ to 2 bushels per acre; in mixture from ½ to ¾ bushel.

TIMOTHY (Phleum pratense). 45 pounds per bushel. It is the most desirable of all grasses for hay. Requires alone, 1 peck per acre; if with Clover, 8 pounds Timothy and 5 to 6 pounds of Clover.

WHITE DUTCH CLOVER (Trifolium repens). A valuable creeping legume for use in lawn and pasture mixtures, or sown as a straight crop. ½1b. 70c; lb. \$1.35.

ZOYSIA JAPONICA. No seed of the new finer-textured type available as yet.



Our new edition, written by William E. Ward, presents a wealth of up-to-date in-formation on Farm and Grass seeds. 148

Pages—120 Photographs and Illustrations.
Describes all varieties of grasses giving history, description, adaptation, culture and uses. Control of turf pests and diseases, weed controls. \$1.00, postpaid.



# McCullough's Quality Vegetable Seeds

# PLAN NOW • PLANT EARLY

#### All-America Selections

Some varieties of vegetable and flower seeds are listed as being All-America Selections. These awards are made each year by a committee of expert judges after identical samples are grown in scattered test gardens. Gold Medal, Silver Medal, Bronze Medal and Honorable Mention Awards are made. Distinctiveness from old varieties is considered, as well as value for home or commercial culture.

# BEANS **Bush or Dwarf Varieties**

Most of our Dwarf or Bush Beans are Idaho grown. They are from select seed stock and are of excellent quality.

Culture. If planted every two or three weeks, commencing after all danger of frost has passed and continuing until about August 15, Beans should keep on producing all summer. For field culture plant in rows 2½ feet apart, dropping the Beans 3 to 4 inches apart in the rows, and covering with about 2 inches of soil. In small gardens, rows may be 18 inches apart. Up to the time of blooming, cultivate often, but never while the vines are wet, and do not disturb the roots, especially after blooming; otherwise they will blight and the crop will be reduced. Constant picking extends bearing.

A pound plants about 100 feet of row, 60 pounds an acre. A half pound planted every three weeks is sufficient for a medium-sized

MATURITY DATES following variety names are average days from sowing time until vegetable is ready for use.

Suitable for freezing

#### BEANS, Green Podded

- 1 WADE. (55 days.) Excellent in quality for the home gardener and market grower. Pods deep green, 5½ to 6 inches long, round, slender. Resistant to common Bean mosaic and powdery mildew. 1952 All-America Gold Medal Winner. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 1bs. \$3.50.
- 2 TOPCROP. (53 days.) Shown in color, back cover. Immune to common Bean mosaic and greasy or shiny pod virus. The plant is 15 to 16 inches high, with 23-inch spread. Pods are round, 6 inches long, straight to slightly curved, stringless. Excellent for canning and freezing. 1950 All-America Gold Medal Winner. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 40c; Ib. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.
- 3 TENDERGREEN. (53 days.) Stringless. One of the very best of the round, green-podded Beans. Fleshy pods about 6 inches long, strictly stringless and of fine quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.

4 STRINGLESS RED VALENTINE. (52 days.) An improved Red Valentine generally used for home gardens. Pods 41/2 inches long, round and stringless. Plant grows 16 to 19 inches tall. Excellent quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

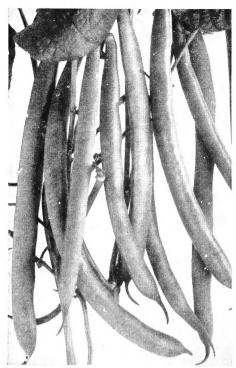
- 5 STRINGLESS GREEN POD. (50 days.) A very handsome, long, cylindrical, green Bean. Pods larger and straighter than those of Valentine. Very fleshy, remaining crisp and tender longer. A desirable sort for home gardens; largely grown for market.

  Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.
- 6 GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD. • (53 days.) A highly productive and very handsome sort. Vines vigorous, spreading. Pods large, round.

  Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; 1b. 65c; 5 1bs. \$3.00.
- HORTICULTURAL. days.) Valuable for snap Beans or shelling. Vines are productive, compact and upright in growth. Pods are 5 to 6 inches long, broad, thick, curved and have splashes of bright red on yellowish green. Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 40c; lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.
- STRINGLESS HORT. (52 days.) An excellent bush Horticultural or cranberry type desirable as a green stringless snap Bean, green shelled Bean, or dry edible variety. Pods nearly round, 5 to 6 inches long, tender and meaty when young. 1952 All-America Winner.
- Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 45c; lb. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.
- pods about 6½ inches long, which are solid, meaty, brittle and stringless.
  - Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 40c; lb. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 10 TENNESSEE GREEN POD. (49 days.) A dwarf, early snap Bean; very hardy. Vines are large, somewhat spreading, prolific. Pods are very long (often 6 to 7 inches), flat, irregular in shape, of dark

and vivid green.
Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.

11 BOUNTIFUL. • (48 days.) A good first-early shipping and home-garden variety. It is very hardy, prolific, and bears continuously for several weeks. Pods are flat, stringless, rich green, large and handsome. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.



3 Tendergreen Beans

BEANS, Green Podded, continued

12 SULPHUR or BRIMSTONE. (55 days.) Has a distinct flavor that is highly esteemed by gardeners. Not stringless but a good bearer and remains tender till the pods are quite far advanced. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

13 IDAHO REFUGEE. (68 days.) Resistant to yellow mosaic and common Bean mosaic. Vine 14 to 18 inches tall; pods round, straight, 5½ inches long, medium green. A choice canning strain of

high quality.

Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 45c; 1b. 85c; 5 1bs. \$4.00.

14 DIXIE WHITE STRINGLESS. (52 days.) Vines light green, 18 inches high. Pods light green, 4 inches long, round, stringless when young. Excellent as a dry shell Bean; fine flavor. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

15 TENDERLONG NO. 15. (53 days.)
This is a new improved Tendergreen.
In many sections is resistant to mosaic.
Quality and yield excellent. Well recommended.

Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 51bs. \$3.50

#### BEANS, Dwarf Wax

16 PENCIL POD BLACK WAX. ● (54 days.) Pods are about 4½ inches long, slightly curved, round, very brittle and tender. They are very fleshy, clear golden yellow and remain tender a long time. Fine for home and market.

Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 40c; lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

17 IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX. (50 days.) An early-maturing variety, very productive. Vines erect, compact, bearing pods well off the ground. Pods nearly straight, broad, flat, golden yellow, very fleshy and waxlike, usually 4½ to 5 inches long. A good sort for home garden, either for table use or pickling. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 45c; 1b. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.

#### BEANS, Field or Bush Shell

Culture. Plant in rows about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart, following instructions given for dwarf or bush Beans. Shell Beans should be left on plant until pods are matured. May be used either as green pods or dried shell Beans.

A packet sows about 25 feet of row, a pound 150 feet,  $\frac{1}{2}$  bushel an acre.

18 GREAT NORTHERN. (90 days.)
Beans medium large, long, flattened oval, white. Bush 11 to 15 inches tall.
Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; 1b. 55c; 5 1bs. \$2.50.

19 DWARF WHITE KIDNEY. (100 days.) Large white, kidney-shaped, slightly flattened. Pods about 6 inches long, large and coarse.

Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; lb. 65c; 5 lbs. \$3.00.

20 DWARF WHITE NAVY. (95 days.) The well-known small oval white variety so largely used in all sections.

Pkt. 15c; ½lb. 30c; lb. 55c; 5 lbs. \$2.50.

21 DWARF WHITE MARROW. (100 days.) Beans oval, about twice as large as Navy. Vines vigorous and productive. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

22 DARK RED KIDNEY. (95 days.) Pods 5 to 6 inches long, flat, dark reddish in color. Plant is large and vigorous. Beans of delicious flavor.

Pkt. 20c; 1/2lb. 35c; lb. 65c; 5 lbs. \$3.00.

# BEANS Pole or Cornfield

Culture. Pole Beans are more sensitive to cold and wet than dwarf varieties and should not be planted too early. Use poles from 6 to 8 feet long in rows 4 feet apart, placing the poles 3 feet apart in the row. In home gardens 3 poles are usually placed wigwam style and tied at the top. Around each pole plant 4 to 6 Beans from 1 to 2 inches deep. When ready to run, thin to 4 plants and see that they all climb the same way. If trained wrong, they will not climb. If to be planted in corn, this should be done after the corn is well started and has had two or three workings.

A packet plants 15 hills, a pound 100 hills, 30 pounds an acre.

INOCULATION FOR BEANS. Increase your yields of Beans by treating the seed before planting with NITRAGIN INOCULATOR. Easily done. We have it in convenient size for small gardens. 15 cts. each.

23 McCULLOUGH'S EARLY WHITE HALF RUNNER. (50 days.) The name of this Bean is strictly in keeping with the nature of the plant. It is exceptionally prolific. Vines are light green, 16 to 20 inches in height and have short runners. Pods light green, about 5½ inches in length, containing 5 to 8 Beans. Thoroughly stringless when young. Also excellent as a dry shell Bean; flavor equal to or better than Navy Beans.

Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 51bs. \$3.50.

All Varieties of Vegetables Marked 
Are Excellent for Freezing

24 IMPROVED KENTUCKY WONDER.

• (67 days.) A well-known variety and one of the most popular of all Pole Beans. The vines are very vigorous, heavy and very prolific, hence not desirable for planting in corn. Pods are of irregular shape, bright green, very long, often reaching 9 to 10 inches. They are very tender, crisp and stringless when young.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 65c; 5 lbs. \$3.00.

25 WHITE-SEEDED KENTUCKY WON-DER. • (64 days.) Pods 6 inches long, almost round, stringless when young. Plant 5 feet tall. Beans good for dry shell as well as snap Beans.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 1bs. \$3.50

26 McCULLOUGH'S LOGAN GIANT. (63 days.) If you want delicious, tender, fine-flavored snap Beans, be sure to plant some McCullough's Logan Giants. There is no Bean of its class that we have grown that is as tender and of as fine quality. Many of our customers consider it the best Pole Bean they have ever grown. The pods, produced in clusters and in great abundance, are light green, 6 to 7 inches long, broad, round and slightly curved.

Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 45c; lb. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.

27 RED SPECKLED CUT SHORT or CORN HILL. (74 days.) A very popular variety, especially for planting among corn. The vines are medium size, vigorous, with dark-colored leaves. Pods are 3 to 3½ inches long, straight, flat, fleshy and of good quality.

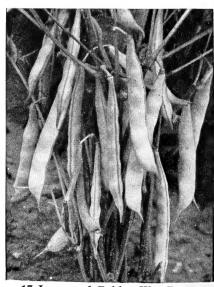
Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

28 LONDON HORTICULTURAL or SPECKLED CRANBERRY. (72 days.) A very popular variety for general purposes, either as a late green shelled Bean or for snaps. The pods are of medium length,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches long, broad. Can be grown on corn or short poles.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 65c; 5 1bs. \$3.00.

29 WHITE CREASEBACK. (65 days.) The vines are medium size and vigorous. Pods are about 5 inches long, comparatively straight, attractive light green, very fleshy, with a crease down the center.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.



17 Improved Golden Wax Beans



26 McCullough's Logan Giant Bean

# BEANS, Pole or Cornfield, continued

30 MISSOURI WONDER. (66 days.)
Pods 6 inches long, thick oval to flat.
Plant grows 5½ feet tall; good producer.
Used as snap Beans when young and for green shell purposes later.

Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 40c; lb. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

- 31 STRIPED CORNFIELD. (71 days.) A prolific green-podded variety. Pods straight, round, green at picking stage and becoming mottled with purple later. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 32 SCOTIA or STRIPED CREASEBACK. (72 days.) The pods are long, about 6 inches, very cylindrical or completely rounded, distinctly creasebacked, very fleshy and of excellent quality. Especially suitable for growing in corn for snaps. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 33 TENNESSEE WONDER or EGG HARBOR. (72 days.) Large green pods, curved, tinged with purple and wrinkled, depressed between the 8 or 9 seeds. One of the largest of all cultivated Beans. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 34 LAZY WIFE. (74 days.) A somewhat late-maturing variety, bearing medium green pods in large clusters. Pods are 5½ to 6½ inches long, broad, thick, fleshy and entirely stringless. An excellent sort for snap green, shelling, or dry Beans. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 35 McCASLAN. (66 days.) The pods, produced in great abundance, are a rich, dark green color, measuring about 7½ inches long, rather flat and slightly curved. Fine used as a snap sort, being entirely stringless when young. If pods are picked before maturing, vines bear till frost.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.

#### POLE BEANS, Wax Pod

36 KENTUCKY WONDER WAX. (67 days.) Pods usually 7 inches long, solidly meaty and entirely stringless. Commences to bear when scarcely higher than bush variety and keeps on producing until killed by frost.

Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 50c; lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.

All Varieties of Vegetables Marked • Are Excellent for Freezing

# LIMA BEANS Dwarf or Bush

Culture. All Lima Beans are tender and the ground should be dry and the weather warm and settled before they are planted. They do best in good light soil; an application of sheep manure or other good fertilizer will be well repaid. Plant in drills  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet apart, dropping the Beans 4 to 5 inches apart and covering about 2 inches deep. Cultivate often until they commence to flower, but only when the leaves are dry. For a succession make two plantings four weeks apart.

A packet will sow 15 feet of row, a pound about 100 feet, 60 pounds an acre.

37 BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA. (75 days.) Pods and Beans are both larger and thicker than Burpee's Bush Lima, and somewhat earlier. Plant is a vigorous grower with heavy foliage.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

38 FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA. ● (75 days.) A very vigorous and erect variety bearing its pods well above the ground in large clusters. Pods are medium green, about 5 inches long and contain 4 or 5 large, thick Beans of exceptionally fine quality. We consider this one of the best of the large-seeded kinds.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

- 39 FORDHOOK No. 242. (75 days.) Developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture for its good productivity under adverse conditions. Pods slightly curved, with thinner walls than Fordhook, containing 3 to 4 light green Beans of the finest type. See color, back cover.
  - Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 45c; lb. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.
- 40 HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA. (65 days.) An exceedingly productive variety of dwarf habit. Commences bearing very early and continues to grow and set pods until stopped by frost. The vines are without runners, somewhat dwarf, very productive. Beans small, white and of most excellent quality either for green shelling or as dry Beans.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 65c; 5 lbs. \$3.00.

41 JACKSON WONDER or CALICO BUSH LIMA. (65 days.) It grows about 2 feet high and carries quite a load of pods that contain 3 or 4 Beans each. It begins bearing early and continues until killed by frost.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

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# LIMA BEANS Mammoth-Podded Pole

Culture. These are to be treated like other Pole Beans except that they should be planted one or two weeks later. Where soil is very stiff, it is best to plant the Beans with the eye downward, to help them come up more rapidly.

A packet will sow 10 poles, a pound 50 poles, 45 pounds an acre.

42 CHALLENGER (Fordhook Pole). (92 days.) A large-seeded Potato Lima, similar in pod and seed to Fordhook Bush Lima. Plant vigorous, good climber, very productive. Smooth, straight pods. Seed large, almost as wide as long.

Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 45c; lb. 80c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.

43 KING OF THE GARDEN. ● (88 days.) Well known for its heavy production and climbing ability. Vine grows 7 to 9 feet tall. Pods 5½ to 6½ inches long, with 3 or 4 Beans per pod. Easy to shell; excellent quality.

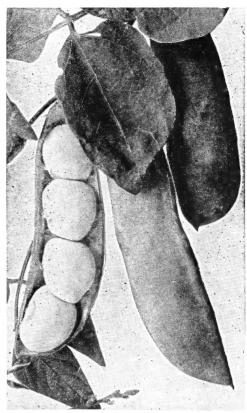
Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.50.

44 SMALL LIMA or SIEVA. (77 days.) A small-seeded Pole Lima. Vine 9 to 10 feet tall. Pods 3 inches long, flat, with 3 or 4 Beans in each.

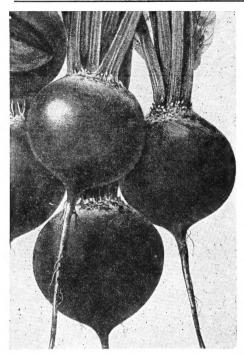
Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

**45 FLORIDA BUTTER or SPECKLED BEAN** (Calico Bean). (78 days.) A sure cropper. Like the Small or Sieva but speckled.

Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.



39 Fordhook No. 242 Bush Lima Bean



48 Detroit Dark Red Beet

#### TABLE BEETS

Beets fresh from the garden are always more tender and delicious than those that are shipped. They can be sown in succession for different seasons and if too many are produced for table use, make excellent food for poultry and stock.

Culture. A deep, loamy or sandy soil is best suited to Beets. If wanted very early they can be sown in hotbeds and transplanted in the open ground when the weather has moderated, but the outer leaves should be trimmed off when transplanting is done. The earliest outdoor sowing is done in March or April, in rows 15 to 18 inches apart, thinning or transplanting the plants to 3 to 4 inches apart in the rows. For winter use, sow in June or July. Roots can be sorted in pits or cellars, covered with sand to keep them from wilting.

A packet will sow 25 feet of row, an ounce 100 feet, 8 to 15 pounds an acre.

- 46 EARLY WONDER. (52 days.) Flattened globe shape, uniform in size and color, dark blood-red. Fine quality and flavor. Popular for its earliness. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼1b. 75c.
- 47 CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN. (55 days.) An improved sort which is very popular with market gardeners on account of its quick growth, extreme earliness and general good qualities. The tops are small, roots flattened but slightly globe shaped and very smooth.

  Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼lb. 75c.

48 DETROIT DARK RED. • (58 days.)
Produces medium-size, globe-shaped roots which are very smooth and of bright red color. Very desirable for bunching. Comparison with other varieties proved that Detroit Dark Red is the most uniform Beet in size and most attractive

in color. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

51 EXTRA EARLY EGYPTIAN. (50 days.) The earliest sort and largely used for forcing. Has very small tops and produces flat, medium-sized roots of very dark red. Flesh is dark purplish red, firm, crisp and tender.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

53 EARLY BLOOD TURNIP. (60 days.) A selected stock of this old and very popular variety. It is of deep red color, zoned with lighter shade; roots round, slightly flattened and excellent for summer and autumn use.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

#### SWISS CHARD

- 55 LUCULLUS. (55 days.) This variety is grown for its leaves only, which are boiled like spinach. Sown in the spring, the leaves are soon ready to eat and will continue to produce all summer and fall. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.
- 56 RHUBARB CHARD. (60 days.) A Swiss Chard that looks like rhubarb. The leaf stalks are bright but delicate, translucent crimson, heavily crumpled. You will enjoy its different, tasty, delicious flavor.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb. \$1.25.

# STOCK BEETS or MANGELS

Culture. Used as a source of feed for cattle, sheep and poultry. Sow seed early in spring in rows 2 to 3 feet apart and cover with  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch of soil.

A packet will sow 25 feet, an ounce 100 feet.

57 MAMMOTH LONG RED MANGEL. (110 days.) Particularly suited to deep soils but succeeds on any medium or heavy soil. The roots are very large and uniform. Flesh is white, tinged with red.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 55c; 1/2lb. \$1.00.

58 GOLDEN TANKARD MANGEL. (95 days.) Produces very large oval-shaped roots, the bottom being larger than the top. It is light gray above the ground, deep orange-yellow below; flesh yellow zoned with white.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 55c; 1/2lb. \$1.00.

#### **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

A vegetable of the cabbage family, largely used in the fall. It produces stalks about 2 feet high, which are covered with small heads resembling miniature cabbage. These are cooked and served like cabbage and are very tender and delicious.

Culture. Set plants 18 inches apart in rows that are 3 to 4 feet apart.

A packet produces 200 plants, an ounce 2000 plants,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pound sufficient plants for an acre.

61 LONG ISLAND IMPROVED. ● (90 days.) A semi-dwarf variety and one of the best.
 Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

#### **BROCCOLI**

A packet produces 200 plants, an ounce 2000 plants,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pound sufficient plants for an acre.

60 GREEN SPROUTING (Calabrese).

● (60 days.) The truest heading strain.

Sow the seed in the open ground in May and transplant the plants when large enough. Central large head grows 5 to 6 inches in diameter. After cutting, numerous smaller heads appear. Keep green sprouts cut off before the flower buds open. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

#### **CAULIFLOWER**

Culture. For early spring or summer crop sow the seed in January or February indoors or under glass. When the plants have four leaves, transplant to coldframes for development. Toward the end of March or early part of April, set in open field and cultivate like cabbage. For fall use sow at the same time as late cabbage and treat in the same manner.

A packet produces 150 plants, an ounce about 2000 plants.

94 EARLY SNOWBALL. ● (54 days.) Unquestionably the earliest maturing strain of short-leaf type of Cauliflower. It is well adapted for forcing or winter use for early crop and is one of the most popular of all sorts, both for market gardener and for home use. The plants are compact, with small leaves, adapted for close planting. Large, pure white flowers, of most excellent quality. Pkt. 25c; ¼oz. \$1.25.

#### VEGETABLE PLANTS

Broccoli Brussels Sprouts Cabbage Cauliflower Celery Pepper Tomato Sweet Potato

In the spring we carry a full line of the above in leading varieties. We do not send these plants by mail.



55 Lucullus Swiss Chard

#### **CABBAGE** Choice Selected Stocks

Culture. For earliest plants the seed is sown in hotbeds from January to March. To make the best plants, sow early and transplant to coldframes. Then at the end of March or the first of April transplant to the garden. Space early Cabbage plants 18 inches apart in rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. Midseason and late plants should be 2 feet apart in rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet apart.

A packet produces 250 plants, an ounce about 2000 plants, 1/4 pound enough plants for an acre.

The number of days indicated gives relative period of maturity from setting of plants. Allow 30 days to produce plants from seed.

#### Yellows-Resistant Cabbage Seed

Varieties listed below are the result of special breeding against yellows or wilt disease, an infection frequently attributed to hot or dry weather. Our stock seed is selected rigidly and continuously for type and resistance. We offer only **first-generation** seed from such stock.

- 62 WISCONSIN ALL SEASONS. (90 days.) Recommended for yellows-sick soil where the flatter type of domestic Cabbage is wanted for kraut. A uniform stock producing large crops. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 70c.
- 63 WISCONSIN GOLDEN ACRE. (64 days.) True to type and earliness and in addition will produce good crops on yellows sick soil where regular Golden Acre cannot do well. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 75c.
- 64 MARION MARKET. (75 days.) Round head, short stem, will permit close plant-ing. Earliest of all yellows-resistant va-rieties selected from Copenhagen Market. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 45c; oz. 80c.
- 65 WISCONSIN HOLLANDER. (100 days.) This is a strain of Holland or Danish Ballhead. A heavy yielder. Round head, deep green, with a purple or bluish tint on the edges. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 75c.



62 Wisconsin All Seasons Cabbage

#### Early Varieties

- **66 GOLDEN ACRE.** (64 days.) This is an early, round-headed Cabbage that closely resembles Copenhagen Market in type. As its name implies, it is a money-maker. Earlier than Copenhagen Market but smaller and can be planted closer. Because of its earliness and fine quality, it commands a higher price than any roundheaded Cabbage. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 30c; oz. 50c.
- 67 EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. days.) One of the earliest and by far the surest heading of first early Cabbages. It is exceedingly hardy. Plants are compact, with erect conical heads and few outer leaves. Stems short; heads of medium size, very solid and of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 30c; oz. 50c.
- 69 COPENHAGEN MARKET. (68 days.) The heads are uniformly round and firm, and it has a very short stem and few outer leaves. A most excellent sort for home gardens and market gardeners. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 70c.

#### Medium Early Varieties

73 EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH. (84 days.) A variety which has long been pop-ular for home use and markets. The heads are borne on short stems and are very large, solid, and nearly flat on top. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 40c.

#### Main-Crop Varieties

- 77 PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH. (105 days.) A very superior strain of this well-known, popular Cabbage, exceptionally reliable for main-crop planting. It is short-stemmed, has rather large, early leaves, and produces uniformly large, flat, deep, solid heads of splendid quality. It is an excellent keeper.
  - Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 45c.
- BALLHEAD. (95 days.) 79 DANISH Produces very large, solid heads, which are globular in shape, with few but rather large, thick, bluish green leaves. Heads are borne on short stems, are of medium size, round, very solid. One of the very best keepers and much desired for kraut. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.
- 81 PERFECTION DRUMHEAD SAVOY. (90 days.) Used almost entirely for late planting and attains its greatest perfection in flavor after frost, when it becomes tender and delicious. The heads are of medium size, borne on short stems, and not as large as the ordinary late Cabbage, hence will stand closer planting. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

#### RED CABBAGE

82 MAMMOTH RED ROCK. (90 days.) A variety used mainly for pickles and sauerkraut. It is highly esteemed. Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 45c; oz. 80c.



83 Chihli Chinese Cabbage

## CHINESE CABBAGE Also called "Celery Cabbage"

This vegetable of the Cabbage family has become extremely popular. The large midribs of the leaves are perfectly white and very crisp and tender. It is excellent when used as a salad.

Culture. The seed should be sown not earlier than July 1 in rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart, and the plants thinned 18 to 20 inches apart in the rows. If sown early it soon runs to seed and is useless.

An ounce will sow 40 to 50 feet of row.

83 CHIHLI. (70 days.) This is the earliest variety of Chinese Cabbage and heads more evenly than any other kind. The heads are pointed, very firm, and when matured are often 18 inches long, blanched pure white inside. Very fine quality. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

#### Grow Your Own Mushrooms

Mushroom Trays, Complete with Soil and Spawn . . . Ready to Use . . . Simply Add Water.

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\$2.00 each at the store.

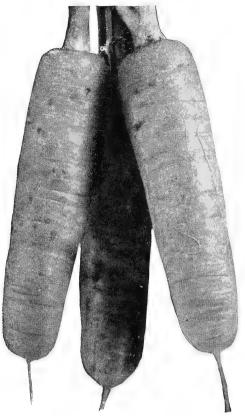
\$2.55 each postpaid in Cincinnati and first and second zone.

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Our special leaflet, "Mushroom Culture," will be sent free if you ask for it. Follow the directions and you should grow splendid Mushrooms.

BRICK SPAWN. One brick will plant about 10 square feet.

50c per brick; 5 bricks \$2.25.



87 Nantes Improved Coreless Carrot

# BEST TABLE CARROTS

Carrots have become a very popular vegetable, since nutrition specialists have pointed out their value in the human diet. They add flavor to soups and meats, besides being healthful, delicious and to an extent ornamental, and should be more largely used. In addition to their table uses, they are a nutritious food for all kinds of stock and poultry.

Culture. Carrots do best in rich, light loamy soil. Where the soil is shallow or stiff, select the shorter varieties rather than the longest-rooted sorts. For early crop sow in March and for main crop in April or May, in rows 18 inches apart, cultivating and weeding as soon as the plants are up. Continue in cultivation until maturity. Cover the seed ½ inch deep and see that the soil is pressed firmly; thin to 4 to 6 inches apart.

A packet sows 30 feet of row, an ounce 200 feet, 3 pounds an acre.

MATURITY DATES following variety names are average days from sowing time until vegetable is ready for use.

87 NANTES IMPROVED CORELESS. (68 days.) Because of its fine quality, this variety is one of the best for the home garden as well as for market. Roots 6 to 7 inches long, with a smooth waxy appearance that makes them very attractive. Sweet and tender.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 30c; oz. 55c; ¼lb. \$1.65.

88 OXHEART. (74 days.) A short, thick variety, especially adapted to stiff or hard soils. Roots 4½ to 5 inches long, very thick, ending abruptly in a small tapering root. The flesh is bright orange, of the finest quality. An excellent sort for market or home use stock feeding and resulting or home use, stock feeding and poultry. Pkt. 15c; ½2oz. 30c; oz. 50c; ¼1b. \$1.50.

89 IMPERATOR. (77 days.) Fine variety for home use. Sloping shoulders and semi-blunt end, 7 to 8 inches long; rich orange color with indistinct core. See color, back cover

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c; ¼lb. \$1.75.

90 DANVERS HALF LONG. (75 days.) A deep orange, tender variety, producing roots of medium length, 6 to 8 inches long, tapering uniformly to a blunt point. Very productive and well adapted to nearly all classes of soil for main crop. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 45c; ¼lb. \$1.35.

CHANTENAY. • (70 days.) A medium early variety, orange-red, crisp and tender. Roots smooth, thick, 5½ to 91 CHANTENAY. 6 inches long, uniformly stump rooted but tapering slightly. One of the best in quality and productiveness for either home garden or market. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 25c; oz. 45c; ¼lb. \$1.40.

92 IMPROVED LONG ORANGE. (85 days.) A well-known popular sort, well adapted for loamy or deep soil, Roots deep orange, usually about 12 inches long, 3 inches in diameter at the crown, tapering to a point. Excellent for table use, markets and stock feeding.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 30c; oz. 55c; ¼lb. \$1.65.

## CELERY

Culture. For the earliest crop the seed should be sown in hotbeds from the middle of February to the end of March. For main crop sow in open ground in March or April, according to the weather, in rows 15 inches apart. Seed sown in beds should be transplanted. When the plants are set in the open field, trim the tops off. Set plants 6 to 8 inches apart in rows about 5 feet apart. Stalks may be blanched to make them more crisp and tender. For blanching, boards, soil or Celery paper is recommended. mended.

A packet will produce about 400 plants, an ounce 6000 plants.

95 WHITE PLUME. (112 days.) An extra early and very handsome sort popular with market gardeners, especially for early crop. Leaves are light, bright green at the base, shading nearly white at the tip. As plants mature, the inner stem and leaves turn white and consequently require less earthing and blanching before they are in condition to use for market.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

96 GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING. (118 days.) This is not only a very early variety but one of the best for home use or market. Plants are medium size, compact and stocky, with yellowish green foliage. As they mature, the inner stem turns a beautiful golden yellow color and blanching is easily accomplished. Being of handsome color, very crisp, tender, free from string-iness and of fine flavor, it is the leading sort grown.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 75c; oz. \$1.35.

97 GIANT PASCAL. (140 days.) A greenleaf variety of the Golden Self Blanching type, and one of the best for fall and early winter use. It blanches a beautiful yellowish white, is very solid and crisp and has a fine nutty flavor. Stalks of medium height, thick, solid, flattening toward the base. One of the best for main or late planting.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

98 CELERIAC or TURNIP-ROOTED CELERY. (110 days.) Used for its roots only, which have a fine, sweet, nutty Celery taste. It is used either boiled or raw, has a delightful flavor and can be used in soups and salads or as a table vegetable. Culture about the same as for Celery.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 95c.

#### COLLARDS

Culture. Sow seeds outdoors in spring when soil is warm. Transplant 2 feet apart in the row.

 $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce plants 100 feet of row, 3 to 4 pounds

99 GEORGIA or SOUTHERN. (75 days.) Plants erect, 2 to 3 feet tall. Large, juicy leaves are usually stripped from the plants as they grow, and are boiled. Will stand light freezing.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

Suitable for freezing

#### HERBS

(A) Annual; (P) Perennial

ANISE. (A) Seeds for flavoring; leaves for salad. Pkt. 20c.

BASIL, SWEET. (A) Leaves for flavoring. Pkt. 15c.

CARAWAY. (A) Seeds for breads, etc.; leaves for salad. Pkt. 10c.

CATNIP. (P) Shoots for seasoning. Cats love it. Pkt. 15c.

CHERVIL. (A) Seasoning for chicken and fish, also cheese dishes. Pkt. 15c.

CHIVES. (P) Flavor for cheese and salads. Pkt. 15c.

CRESS, Curled or Peppergrass. (A) Foliage used for flavor. Pkt. 15c.

CRESS, Upland. (A) Stalks for garnishing. Pkt. 15c.

CRESS, Water. (A) Used as a salad. Pkt. 25c.

DILL. (A) For seasoning pickles, sauces, soups, etc. Pkt. 10c.

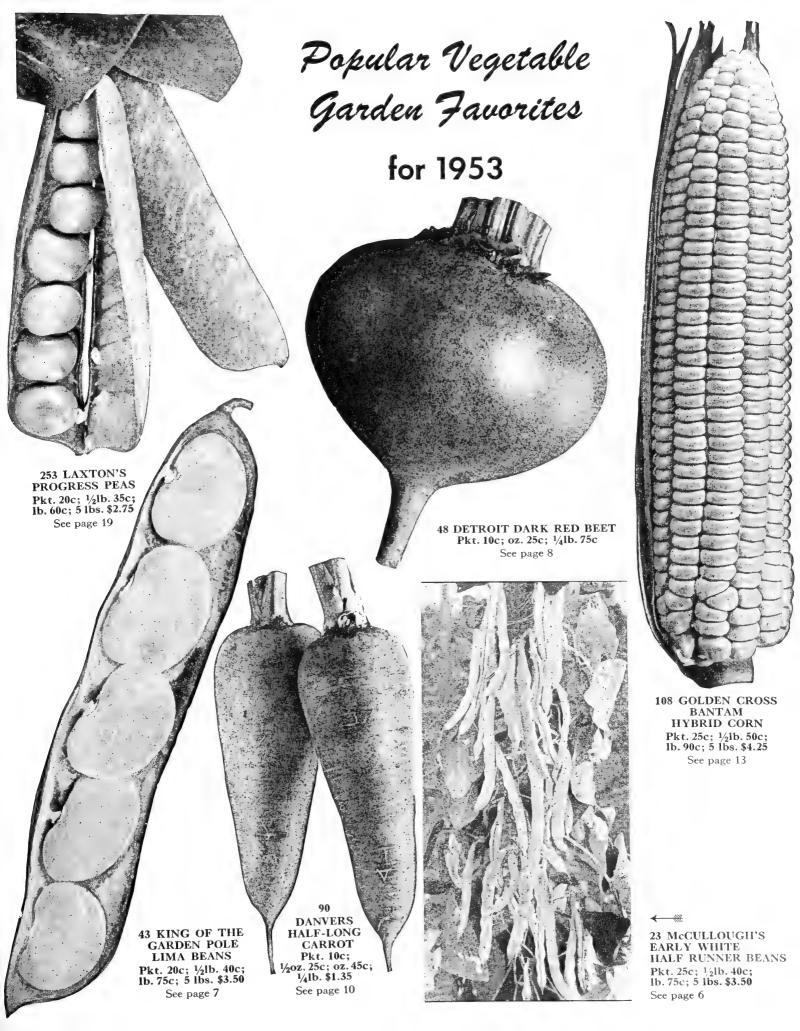
FENNEL, Florence. (A) Bulb can be eaten raw or boiled; stems eaten like celery. Pkt. 15c.

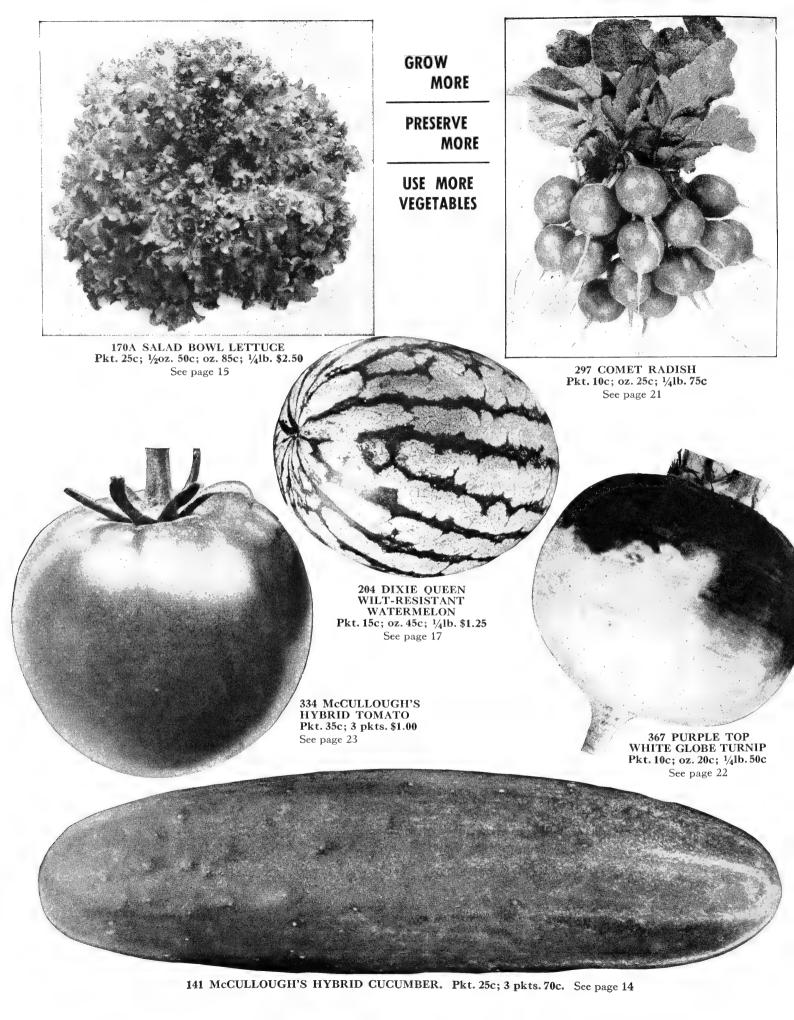
MARJORAM, Sweet. (A) Used in soup, omelettes, meat and poultry dishes. Pkt. 20c.

SAGE, Broad Leaf. (P) Used for flavoring meats and poultry. Pkt. 15c.

SUMMER SAVORY. (A) (Bohenkraut.) Leaves are used in salads, meat, egg, and poultry dishes. Pkt. 15c.

THYME. (P) For seasoning soups, stews, sauces and dressings. Pkt. 25c.





#### SWEET CORN

Our Sweet Corn is grown in Idaho and northern Ohio. It is from select seed stock of excellent quality.

Culture. Sweet Corn should not be planted until the weather is settled and the ground warm. Plant the seeds an inch deep and 3 inches apart; thin to 10 inches apart. Or plant in hills spaced 2 feet apart each way. Cultivate frequently and keep the ground free of weeds. For succession, plant every two weeks from May to the end of July.

A packet plants 100 feet of row, a pound about 300 hills, 12 to 14 pounds an acre.

#### **Hybrid Types**

- 100 IOCHIEF. (87 days.) 1951 All-America Gold Medal Winner. Delicious flavor. Ear 9 to 10 inches long, with 16 to 18 rows deep tender yellow grains. Somewhat resistant to heat and drought. Lasts well. Highly recommended. See in color, back cover. Pkt. 30c; ½lb. 55c; lb. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$4.75.
- 101 CARMELCROSS. (76 days.) Early yellow hybrid. Ears 7 inches long; good quality, tender, 10 to 14 rows. Stalks 5½ feet tall. Widely adapted and popular with home and market gardeners. Wilt resistant. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 45c; 1b. 85c; 5 lbs. \$4.00.
- 102 OHIOGOLD 1. (90 days.) Developed by Agronomy Dept., Ohio State University. Ohiogold 1 produces a rugged stalk. Long ears with 12 to 14 rows of medium yellow kernels. Quality excellent. Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 50c; lb. 95c; 5 lbs. \$4.50.
- 103 IOANA. (85 days.) Here is a grand, light yellow Sweet Corn with a quality flavor. The plants are about 7 feet tall, sucker free, and quite vigorous. Ears are uniform, with 12 rows of sweet, toothsome kernels to the ear.

  Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 40c; lb. 75c; 5 lbs. \$3.75.
- 104 EVERGREEN HYBRID. ♠ (90 days.)
  Ears 7½ to 8½ inches long, with 14 to 18 rows of deep, narrow, white kernels, which are tender and very sweet. Recommended for home or market garden as well as for canning. 8 to 10 feet tall.
  Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 50c; lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.
- 105 SPANCROSS (C13.4). (73 days.)
  One of the earliest. Ears about  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, with 10 to 12 rows of cream-yellow kernels. Stalks about 5 feet tall. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt.
  Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 50c; 1b. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.
- 106 MARCROSS (C13.6). (76 days.)
  Developed by the Connecticut Experiment Station. Stalks short but sturdy. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt. Ears very attractive, about 7 inches in length with 10 to 14 rows of light cream-yellow kernels of fine quality.

  Pkt. 25c; ½lb. 50c; lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.
- 108 GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM. (85 days.) At present, this is the favorite yellow Hybrid Sweet Corn. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt, uniform in growth, maturity and heavy yield. Stalks about 7 feet high; ears about 8 inches in length with 10 to 14 rows of rich yellow kernels. Pkt. 25c; ½1b. 50c; 1b. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25.

#### **Open-Pollinated Yellow**

- 109 GOLDEN BANTAM. (70 days.) Selected Northern Grown. The most popular yellow Sweet Corn; also one of the earliest and hardiest. Rarely grows over 3½ feet in height, and usually bears two ears, 5 to 6 inches long, on each stalk. Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.
- 110 WONDER BANTAM. (72 days.) Desirable for home, market and shippers who want a vigorous variety with heavier foliage and longer ears than Golden Bantam. Ears 7½ to 8½ inches long, with 8 rows of tender, sweet kernels of good quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

111 GOLDEN SUNSHINE. (68 days.) The earliest of the Golden Bantam type. More dwarf in habit than Bantam, with ears 6½ inches long, containing 12 rows of broad, yellow, sweet grains.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

112 GOLDEN GIANT. (87 days.) Excels all other early varieties in size, yield and quality. Equals late varieties in size and excels them in quality and earliness.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

113 BANTAM or GOLDEN EVERGREEN. (87 days.) A most excellent sort of fine quality. The ears average 8 inches long and are 12-rowed; the grain is rather broad and deep.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

#### **Open-Pollinated White**

- 115 WHIPPLE'S EARLY WHITE. (85 days.) Of the narrow-grained Evergreen type, but ready for use much earlier. Ears 8 to 9 inches long; 16 to 18 rows of pearly white grains. Has a large sugar content.
- Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.
- This variety resembles Stowell's Evergreen but is ready for use earlier and remains in good condition equally as long. Ears grow to a good size, usually about 7 inches long, and contain from 16 to 18 rows of deep sweet grains.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

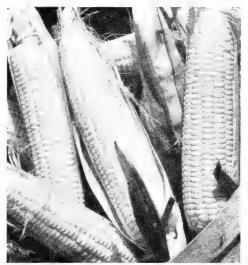
117 COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. (90 days.) Probably the most popular of all sorts for home gardens on account of its sweetness, tenderness and delicious flavor. Ears 7 to 8 inches long, round, medium size. Grains zig-zag or staggered.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

118 HOWLING MOB. (80 days.) A popular, productive, large-eared variety; valuable for home and truck gardeners. Ears measure 7 to 9 inches in length, with 12 to 16 rows of white grains.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

All varieties of vegetables marked ( ) are excellent for freezing.



100 Iochief Sweet Corn

days.) One of the standard main-crop sorts, which has long been popular. It is hardy, thrifty, productive, very tender and sugary. Ears 8 to 9 inches long, having 16 to 18 rows of very deep grains.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

- 122 ZIG-ZAG EVERGREEN. (90 days.) A late variety of Zig-Zag Evergreen Corn. The ears are generally twice the diameter of any other sort and of a fine-sweet flavor. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25.
- 123 BLACK MEXICAN. (83 days.) An interesting variety with sweet jet-black ears. Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.
- 124 AUNT MARY CORN. (90 days.) By actual performance in the garden this white, straight-rowed Sweet Corn has proved to be one of the finest to date. The sweetness and flavor are superb.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 40c; 1b. 70c; 5 1bs. \$3.25.

#### Early Dent Garden Corn

These are not Sugar Corns but are valuable for their hardiness. They can be planted earlier and will mature more quickly than Sugar Corns and are therefore usually very profitable for market gardeners.

- 125 EXTRA EARLY ADAMS. (70 days.) Stalks about 4 feet high with few leaves and without suckers. Ears short, very full, with 12 to 14 rows of white, smooth kernels. An extremely hardy sort.
  - Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 25c; lb. 40c; 5 lbs. \$1.75.
- 126 EARLY ADAMS. (73 days.) About the same characteristics as Extra Early Adams but a little larger and later. Stalks about 6 feet high; ears have 12 to 14 rows. A good variety for second or very late planting.

Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 25c; lb. 40c; 5 lbs. \$1.75.

- 127 TRUCKER'S FAVORITE. (78 days.) A late variety of the Adams type; ears 9 to 10 inches long, 14 to 16-rowed. Has dual value in producing a good crop of feed Corn if roasting-ear market is unfavorable.
  - Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 25c; 1b. 40c; 5 lbs. \$1.75.

#### **POPCORN**

Plant Popcorn and pop it for your own pleasure.

Culture. Place 5 or 6 seeds in a group and space the groups 3 to 4 feet apart. Cover with 1 to 2 inches of soil. Thin later to 3 or 4 stalks. Or plant in rows 3 to 4 feet apart, with the seeds 4 to 6 inches apart.

A packet sows 75 feet of row.

128 LARGE YELLOW HYBRID. (105 days.) Hybrids produce larger popping expansion and increased volume—a very desirable quality.
Pkt. 35c; ½lb. 65c; lb. \$1.25; 5 lbs. \$6.00.

129 WHITE RICE. (90 days.) Kernels white, crisp and tender. Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; 1b. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

130 JAPANESE HULLESS. (85 days.) Tender, sweet, pure white when popped. Pkt. 15c; ½lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

131 SOUTH AMERICAN LARGE YEL-LOW. (110 days.) Large kernels, dark yellow and smooth. When popped, it expands to large size. Very popular. Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; 1b. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

#### CORN SALAD

(Lamb's Lettuce)

Quick growing, for early spring, late fall or winter use. Very hardy. Leaves are cooked like spinach or used in salads.

132 BROAD-LEAVED. (45 days.) Round-leaved.

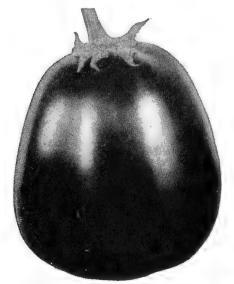
Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 70c.

#### DILL

A packet sows 12 feet of row, an ounce 50 feet.

148. (70 days.) Dill is an annual herb used for seasoning pickles, sauces, soups, etc. It is easily grown.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb, 75c.



149 Black Beauty Eggplant

## **CUCUMBERS** For Pickling and Slicing

Culture. Hills are usually made about 4 feet apart, using well-rotted cow or sheep manure well mixed with the soil. For earliest crop outdoors, plant 8 to 10 seeds in hills or drills 4 feet apart. After danger of frost and destruction by insects, thin the plants to about four to the hill. For late crop plant from the end of May until July. Cultivate occasionally, and when the fruit is ready for use, pick whether wanted or not, to extend the life and productiveness of the vines.

A packet plants 15 hills, an ounce 50 hills, 3 pounds an acre.

133 A. & C. (67 days.) This beautiful Cucumber is a large yielder of fine fruits. About 10 inches in length, well rounded at ends and very dark green.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

134 STRAIGHT EIGHT. (65 days.) A long, slender, very straight fruit with a slight taper at each end. At the edible stage, the length averages about 8 inches and the color is a rich dark green. Excellent for slicing.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

135 LONGFELLOW. (72 days.) A White Spine type. Vines are vigorous and productive. Fruit 12 to 14 inches long and 2½ inches in diameter. Can be grown in the garden or greenhouse; stands shipping well.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

136 EARLY WHITE SPINE. (60 days.) One of the best sorts for table use, for market gardeners and truckers. The vines are vigorous, producing fruit early and abundantly. Fruits are uniformly straight, about 8 inches long.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

137 IMPROVED LONG GREEN. (68 days.) One of the most popular sorts for home gardens and in country districts for home markets. Fruits are very long, often 12 inches, slender and uniformly dark green color. Rather late maturing, and very vigorous. The matured fruits are excellent and tender for table use and both large and small can be used for pickling.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

138 DAVIS PERFECT. (67 days.) Dark, rich green color, slightly tipped with white at the end; has very few seeds and is excellent for slicing. Fruits are often 12 inches long, very slim and showy.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

139 EARLY FRAME. (56 days.) A well-known, short, green variety, producing straight, moderate-sized fruit. Fine for very early planting or pickling.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

140 EARLY FORTUNE. (60 days.) The finest type of White Spine yet introduced. Early and very productive. Fruits grow 9 inches long, slightly tapering; flesh white, firm and crisp, with very few seeds. Color dark green. Quality is excellent either when sliced or for making pickles. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

141 McCULLOUGH'S HYBRID CU-CUMBER. (58 days.) First-generation true hybrid of the White Spine slicing type. Resistant to mosaics and downy mildew. Vines are large and extremely long-lived and vigorous, bearing heavily from early until quite late. Fruit is long and straight, averaging 8½ inches. Darker green than most slicing varieties. Seed cavity medium; flesh crisp, tender and of high quality. Hybrid vigor and disease resistance combine to make this an outstanding new Cucumber.

Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 70c.

142 BOSTON PICKLING. (58 days.)
Very productive. Fruits short, bright green, used for pickling.
Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ½1b. 90c.

143 NATIONAL PICKLING. (56 days.) Due to its remarkable solidity and heavy yields, this is today one of the favorite pickling sorts. It is just as firm after pickling as before. Early, dark rich green, straight and symmetrical.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

144 JERSEY PICKLING. A variety shorter than Long Green. A very popular main-crop pickling sort for market and commercial uses.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/41b. 90c.

145 EARLY GREEN CLUSTER. (52 days.) Short and prickly, borne in clusters. Prolific; fine for bottling.
Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

146 WHITE WONDER. (58 days.) Fruit, produced in clusters, is symmetrical, short, blocky, and rounded at both ends. Ivorywhite from time of forming until maturity; moderately productive.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

147 SURECROP HYBRID. (58 days.) All-America Bronze Medal Winner, 1951. Fruits slender and blunt ended, 8 to 9 inches long,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, dark green in color. White-spine type. Resistant to mosaic and downy mildew. Vigorous grower and high yielder.

Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 70c.

# **EGGPLANT**

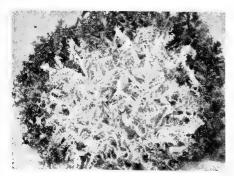
Culture. Sow in February or March in warm hotbeds. When plants have two rough leaves, transplant to 3 or 4 inches apart or into small pots. After all danger of frost is past, about the middle or end of May, transplant to the garden, setting plants about 3 feet apart each way. Shade young plants from hot sun.

A packet produces 100 plants, an ounce 1000 plants,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pound enough for an acre.

149 BLACK BEAUTY. (80 days.) Fruit slightly longer and darker than any other variety, rich dark purple, large and symmetrical. It is very desirable for market, for it holds its color a long time. Entirely free from spines; splendid for early crop or very late planting.

Pkt. 20c; ½20z. 85c; oz. \$1.50.

Plants ready in May. We do not send these plants by mail.



150 Green Curled Endive

#### ENDIVE

One of the best salads for fall and winter, and sometimes used for greens, flavoring soups and stews. It may be grown at any season but is more generally planted for fall.

Culture. For early use, sow about April 15; for later use, sow in June or July, in drills 18 inches apart, and when large enough thin out to about 1 foot apart. When nearly grown, tie the outer leaves together over the center in order to blanch the heart. By covering fresh plants every few days a succession may be had.

A packet sows 100 feet of row, an ounce 400

150 GREEN CURLED. (93 days.) One of the hardiest and best varieties for general use. It has deep green leaves, beautifully cut and curled, is easily blanched, very crisp, tender and of fine flavor.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/41b. 90c.

151 BROAD-LEAF BATAVIAN (Escarolle). (90 days.) A variety having broad, bright green leaves with thick white midribs. It is much larger than other sorts and has a flavor all its own. The inner leaves form a very solid, clustering head and are blanched a beautiful deep, creamy white. Crisp, tender and of fine flavor.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

152 MOSS CURLED. (93 days.) A compact-growing variety forming large dense clusters of finely divided, medium green leaves. When properly blanched it is rich creamy white and tender.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

153 WHITE CURLED. (98 days.) Plants 12 to 13 inches in diameter; leaves finely curled, with broad ribs slightly rose tinged. Creamy white at the heart.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.

#### LEEK

A kind of Onion that does not form a bulb, but grows in a long stem.

Culture. Sow in April or May, in rows 18 inches apart. Cover seed ½ inch deep and thin plants to 4 to 6 inches apart in the row. The neck is blanched and ready for fall use.

An ounce will sow 100 feet of row.

170 GIANT MUSSELBURG. (150 days.) A long, medium thick, white-stemmed, hardy variety with broad, medium green leaves.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 75c.

#### LETTUCE

The smallest of home gardens can easily grow plenty of Lettuce. By making successive sowings and using the Lettuce as it is thinned, a supply can be had throughout the

Culture. Plant the seed in rich ground as early in the spring as possible. Cover not more than ½ inch deep. Provide plenty of moisture during the growing season. Thin the plants to 10 inches apart.

A packet sows 50 feet of row, an ounce about 250 feet, 3 pounds an acre.

#### Curled or Loose-Leaved Varieties

170A SALAD BOWL. Fills a salad bowl with perfect rosette of rich green leaves. Best quality; tender. Stands sun well; fast grower. A honey for home gardeners. 1952 All-America Gold Medal Winner. Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c; oz. 85c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ 1b. 2.50.

171 SLOBOLT. (43 days.) Similar in type and general appearance to Grand Rapids. Its tendency to remain in condition for a long period makes it very desirable for the home or market gardener.

Pkt. 20c; oz. 50c; 1/4lb. \$1.50.

172 BLACK-SEEDED SIMPSON. days.) The best sort for nearby markets and for home gardens on account of its superior quality. It forms a large, loose head of very bright green and is exceed-ingly tender. Largely used for forcing under glass and is a superior sort for earlier crops.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. 95c.

173 GRAND RAPIDS. (43 days.) Special forcing strain. It is of quick growth, hardy and not liable to rot; remains in good condition several days after being fit to cut. Plants are upright and uniform; leaves finely crumpled at the edges.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. 95c.

174 EARLY CURLED SIMPSON (White-Seeded). (45 days.) Makes a large, loose curled head similar to Black-Seeded Simp-Particularly adapted for sowing thickly and cutting when the plants are young. Leaves light green, slightly frilled, much blistered, crisp, sweet and tender. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. 95c.

175 PRIZE HEAD. (45 days.) A large clustering, non-heading sort, most excellent for home gardens. Leaves broad, crumpled and frilled; outside leaves tinged red, inner ones entirely green. Very crisp, sweet and tender.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. 95c.

176 OAK LEAF. (40 days.) This excellent variety is noted for its ability to withstand hot weather without turning bitter. tender, deep green leaves are smooth and lobed to resemble the leaf of an oak tree. Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; 1/4lb. \$1.50.

#### Crisp Heading Varieties

177 BIBB. (60 days.) A loose waxy head with very deep green outer leaves, bleaching to a rich yellowish green inside. Heads medium size, unusually crisp and tender, and of a distinct flavor. One of the best winter forcing varieties.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; 1/4lb. \$1.50.

178 GREAT LAKES. (83 days.) Resistant to tip-burn. Heads are of good size. The dark green, attractively fringed leaves wrap tightly over the head; unusually crisp. 14 inches each way. Shown in color, back cover.

Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 75c; ¼lb. \$2.25.

179 ICEBERG. (82 days.) A beautiful Lettuce, with large, curly leaves of bright, light green, with a very slight reddish tint at the edges. Crisp, tender and fine flavor.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

180 BIG BOSTON. (75 days.) Forms a large, compact head. Forces well in frames and is thoroughly satisfactory for outdoor crops in the spring or very late fall. Leaves are broad, comparatively smooth, bright, light green.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

181 HANSON. (82 days.) A splendid summer heading sort. The plants are compact, forming a large cabbage-like head which remains in good condition a long time.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

182 NEW YORK NO. 12. (78 days.) Crisp, tender, free from bitterness. It produces immense heads, often 15 to 16 inches across and weighing enormously. stands hot, dry weather.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 65c; 1/4lb. \$1.90.

183 DEER TONGUE. (80 days.) A butterhead type. Leaves are oblong to triangular, with rounded tip, slightly blistered or savoyed, attractive green and of excellent quality. Plants are compact, upright, 12 inches across and 6 inches high.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; 1/4lb. \$1.50.

#### Cos or Romaine Lettuce

This type of Lettuce forms upright, loose folding heads, and the inner leaves bleach white. Heads readily in almost any climate.

185 TRIANON COS. (66 days.) Makes a well-folded, cylindrical, medium green head. Interior pale greenish white. Smooth, crisp leaves with a distinct flavor. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.



177 Bibb Lettuce

# **MUSKMELON or CANTALOUPE**

IT'S NOT HARD TO RAISE MELONS. They are so delicious a fruit that everyone who has any garden at all should raise some. All that is required is a good rich, wellmanured soil that is not too heavy, and a warm, sunny situation.

Culture. Plant in May for early crop, in June for late crop. Seed is planted in hills 6 feet apart, putting 10 to 12 seeds to the hill and covering 1 inch deep. If land is not rich, use well-rotted manure or a little sheep manure mixed with the soil. When danger of insects is over, thin out to 4 plants to the Lill

#### **Green-Fleshed Varieties**

187 ROCKY FORD or NETTED GEM. (88 days.) Very sweet, thick green flesh with that spicy flavor that makes a Cantaloupe so delicious. The melons are oval-shaped, slightly ribbed, well covered with fine netting and are uniform in size and shape. Small seed cavity.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

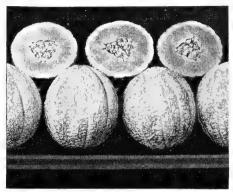
189 EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK. (82 days.) Earlier than Large Hacken-Produces medium-sized fruit, somewhat flattened, evenly deep ribs with coarse netting. The flesh is green, slightly tinged with yellow, juicy and sweet.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20.

190 LARGE HACKENSACK Cap). (88 days.) An old and well-known sort producing very large, green-fleshed fruits that are nearly round and flattened. Flesh green, thick, juicy and sweet.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20.

A packet plants 12 hills, an ounce 50 hills, 2 pounds an acre.



193 Pride of Wisconsin Cantaloupe

191 HONEY DEW. (112 days.) The average size is about 6 inches in diameter, and it weighs 5 to 6 pounds. Smooth skin with a little netting, creamy yellow when ripe. The flesh is beautiful green next to the outside rind, shading to light green at center. Very thick, fine grained, and can be eaten almost to the rind.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20.

#### Orange-Fleshed Varieties

193 PRIDE OF WISCONSIN. (85 days.) Its deep-colored, sparkling orange flesh is totally unlike other Cantaloupe. Rind is strong and hard, with heavy, coarse netting. The seed cavity is triangular in netting. The seed cavity is triangular shape. This melon is just the right size.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

194 BENDER'S SURPRISE. (90 days.) Exquisitely fine flavor, large size and earliness make this new melon a great favorite. Fruit of oval shape; flesh deep orange, very thick, deliciously sweet and of high flavor. Grows fairly large, weighing up to 10 pounds each.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

196 HALE'S BEST. (86 days.) The nearly round fruits are normally 6 to 6½ inches long, densely covered with a medium heavy netting and almost devoid of ribbing. The flesh is very thick and fine grained, deep salmon-pink in color, richly flavored.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

197 HEARTS OF GOLD or HOODOO. (92 days.) An orange-fleshed variety, ideal as a shipping melon and of the very finest quality. Fruit uniformly of medium size. Flesh very thick, firm, of fine texture and delicious flavor.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

198 HONEY ROCK or SUGAR ROCK. (85 days.) Its extreme earliness is not the least of its valuable qualities. Medium size, with a slate-gray rind and coarse, rope-like netting. Thick, pink flesh and a small seed cavity. The flavor is excellent.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

199 OSAGE or MILLER'S CREAM. (92 days.) A medium salmon-fleshed melon of excellent quality. Fruits are oval, dark green, slightly ribbed, tinged with gray. Flesh salmon color, thick and highly flavored. A splendid sort for late or main crop.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20.

200 TIP TOP. ● (90 days.) A popular sort with market gardeners, producing very large melons with ribbed but almost smooth skin. Flesh salmon, very deep, a little coarse but exceedingly sweet and delicious.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

201 BANANA. (96 days.) A long, smoothskinned variety, growing somewhat in the shape of a long squash. Fruit about 12 inches long, with salmon flesh, which is very sweet, luscious and tender.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

#### KALE

A popular crop for fall, winter and spring use as greens. Kale is a member of the Cabbage family with very curly, decorative leaves. One of the most hardy of all vegetables; in fact, the flavor is improved by frost. It is extremely rich in vitamins.

Culture. In this section it is usually sown broadcast from the middle of August to the middle of October. Scotch Kale is planted earlier. In the spring, seed can be sown in February, March and April.

A packet sows 30 feet of row, an ounce 200 feet, 3 pounds an acre.

164 DWARF BLUE SCOTCH. (55 days.) Dark blue-green and very curly. One of the most handsome varieties. On account of the short stems, the leaves rest practi-cally on the ground. They are widespread and plumelike, very dense, dark blue-green, and retain their color after cutting. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

165 DWARF SIBERIAN. (60 days.) A vigorous sort of spreading habit, its green foliage having a distinctive bluish tinge or bloom. Very hardy. A favorite in many sections for greens and extensively grown for forage.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 60c.

166 DWARF GREEN CURLED SCOTCH. (55 days.) A finely curled, spreading, low-growing variety. The leaves are attractive, bright green and beautifully curled, which makes it excellent for garnishing. It must be sown earlier than other sorts, usually from July until the end of August, or in March. Can be sown either in drills or broadcast. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

167 TALL GREEN CURLED SCOTCH. (60 days.) Leaves green, beautifully curled and wrinkled. Grows about 2 feet in height; hardy, and improved by frost. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.

#### **KOHLRABI**

A turnip-shaped bulb that is boiled and served like turnips. If used when young, it is tender and very desirable. May also be eaten raw like radishes after being chilled in the refrigerator, or combined with other vegetables in salads. Kohlrabi is unknown to many home gardeners but deserves a trial.

Culture. For early use sow in hotbeds and transplant. Out-of-doors sow in open ground the first part of April in rows 18 inches apart; thin out or transplant to 6 inches apart in the row.

A packet will sow 20 feet of row, ½ ounce 100 feet.

168 EARLY PURPLE VIENNA. (60 days.) Very early, with small tops; bulbs good size. A variety of good quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

169 EARLY WHITE VIENNA. (55 days.) Light green, smooth skin; flesh white and

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

#### WATERMELONS

Watermelons do best on old, rich soil. When making the hills, well-rotted manure should be used, and it is better to prepare them some time before planting the seed. If cow manure cannot be obtained, use good commercial fertilizer or sheep manure mixed with the soil.

Culture. Treat like muskmelons but give more room—10 to 12 feet apart each way. For main crop plant in early May, for late crop in June.

A packet plants 6 hills, an ounce 20 hills, 2 pounds an acre.

205 EARLY KANSAS. (80 days.) The largest of all early melons. It combines sweet flavor and bright red flesh, solid to the rind, which is not thick. Nearly round, light green with broad wavy stripes.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

206 COLE'S EARLY (Harris' Early). (75 days.) A very popular early variety. Fruits medium sized, about 20 pounds, short oval, with alternate dark and light green stripes; tender rind. Flesh pink-red; seeds black.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/41b. 85c.

207 STONE MOUNTAIN. (90 days.) A melon of finest quality, claimed to be the sweetest of all the large varieties. It is almost round and has a dark green, medium thick rind. Flesh rich scarlet. It is not unusual to grow Stone Mountain weighing 70 to 80 pounds. For home use and nearby markets it is unexcelled.

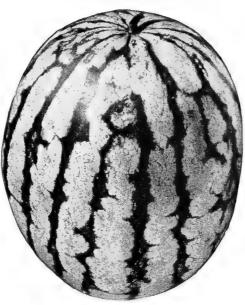
Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.

208 TOM WATSON. (92 days.) A long, dark green melon, which has become exceedingly popular. Vines are vigorous and productive. Flesh rich bright red, very juicy and sweet. Most suitable for nearby markets, family gardens, and a favorite with truckers.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/41b. 85c.

209 KLECKLEY'S SWEET or MONTE CRISTO. ● (85 days.) One of the best flavored melons in cultivation and one of the best for home use or nearby markets. Long, very dark green with thin rind. Flesh deep red, of fine, delicious flavor.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.



204 Dixie Queen Wilt-Resistant Watermelon

210 FLORIDA GIANT. (88 days.) The largest and best of the so-called round type Watermelons. Dark green skin; flesh deep bright red, of very fine quality and flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/1b. \$1.00.

211 SWEETHEART. (90 days.) The oval fruits are very large and heavy, with thin light green rind slightly veined darker. Flesh bright red, firm, very sweet. The fruits remain in condition a long time after ripening. A splendid sort for market or main crop.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.

213 PEERLESS or ICE CREAM. (85 days.) A splendid early sort for home or market gardens. Vines moderately vigorous, hardy and very productive. Fruits are oblong, medium size, bright green, finely veined with darker shade. Flesh bright scarlet, crisp and very sweet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. 85c.

214 GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE. (90 days.) Also called Gypsy. Fruits are large, very long, of light green color, distinctly striped and blotched darker. The rind is remarkably thin though very tough; hence, it stands shipping well. Flesh most tender, sweet and luscious. Fruits are uniformly good quality.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

215 ALBERT'S HONEY. (87 days.) A long, dark green melon of moderate size but such splendid quality that it is especially desirable for market or home use. The rind is very thin. Flesh bright crimson and so crisp and tender that ripe melons will split ahead of the knife in cutting.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 85c.

216 SMALL RED SUGAR LUMP ICE-BOX. (90 days.) This new variety of midget Watermelon is about the size of a Honey Dew Muskmelon, and will weigh about 5 pounds with delicious rich red flesh and practically no rind. Originally came from Manchuria, and is necessarily very early.

Pkt. 20c; oz. 60c; 1/4lb. \$1.75.

217 NEW HAMPSHIRE MIDGET WATERMELON. (75 days.) Early; up to six pounds in weight. Productive and widely adapted. 1951 Gold Medal Winner.

Pkt. 25c; oz. 60c; 1/41b. \$1.75.

#### Wilt-Resistant Watermelons

In some gardens disease has discouraged the growing of Watermelons. We suggest that these wilt-resistant varieties be tried in those instances.

202 KLONDIKE STRIPED BLUE RIBBON, Wilt-Resistant. (80 days.) Considering eating, as well as shipping qualities, this variety is the best of the small melons. Flesh is deep red, sweet, stringless and melting. Rind light green, conspicuously striped with darker green, thin, hard and tough, making it desirable for shipping. Weight averages 25 pounds.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.25.

203 KLECKLEY'S NO. 6, Wilt-Resistant. (88 days.) An improved Kleckley's Sweet type which has proved almost fully resistant to fusarium wilt. It is dark green, of good length, with deep red flesh and white seeds.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

days.) A leader for home gardens, local markets and shipping. Fruits nearly round, with light and dark green stripes; thin, tough rind. Flesh deep scarlet, crisp and sweet. Medium to large size; very uniform. The few seeds are white.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb. \$1.25.

#### **MUSTARD GREENS**

Mustard greens are as healthful and nourishing as spinach. The leaves are more tender, and the stems are not so long and coarse.

Culture. Sow broadcast or in drills 12 inches apart in March or April, or in September or October. Cut when 3 inches high.

A packet sows 50 feet of row, an ounce about 200 feet, 4 pounds an acre.

220 FORDHOOK FANCY. (50<sup>th</sup> days.)

Dark green, deeply curled and fringed leaves curving backward like ostrich plumes. Of mild flavor; splendid for greens or salads.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

221 MUSTARD SPINACH or TENDER-GREEN. (45 days.) A desirable, quick-growing, tender variety with long, broad, fairly smooth leaves of dark green; white midribs. Slow to seed.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

222 SOUTHERN GIANT CURLED. (40 days.) A large sort with succulent, pungent leaves of sweet flavor. The best variety for use as greens.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 60c.

223 WHITE or YELLOW LONDON. For greens. The seed is largely used for pickles and flavoring.

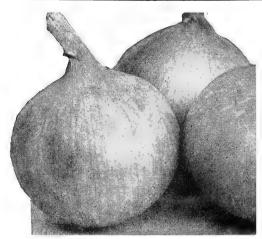
Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

#### **PEANUTS**

Peanuts can be successfully grown in warm, sandy soil in a sheltered place with a southern exposure. Plant in May or early June, in rows 2½ feet apart. Drop the shelled nuts 8 to 10 inches apart and cover 1 inch deep. When the plants are nearly full grown, hill them up with soil.

A packet sows 20 feet, a pound 150 feet.

IMPROVED VIRGINIA. Large and very prolific. Our seed is not shelled. Order 60 pounds per acre and shell before planting. Lb. 75c; 5 lbs. or more, 70c per lb.



231 Yellow Globe Danvers Onion

#### ONIONS

One of the most nutritious and healthful of vegetables, having excellent medicinal qualities as well as being most useful for flavoring salads, soups, meats, etc. Can be produced easily from either sets or seed.

Culture—Growing Large Onions From Seed. Seed is sown in rows 15 inches apart as early in the spring as ground can be worked, and covered about ½ inch deep. When 2 to 3 inches tall, the young plants must be thinned to prevent crowding. They can be thinned again when 6 or 8 inches tall, and the plants removed can be used as green Onions. After that, they are pulled as needed, and those that are left to become fully ripe can be stored for winter.

A packet sows 20 feet of row, an ounce 200 feet, 4 pounds an acre.

230 HARDY WHITE BUNCHING. (120 days.) Used exclusively for green bunching, as it forms no bulbs. A hardy perennial that produces for many years. Seeds sown in the spring or summer will produce late in the fall or, if wintered over, very early the following spring. Thin to 8 to 12 inches after the first year. Tender and of mild flavor.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 95c.

231 YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS. (110 days.) Bulbs of large size, uniformly globe shape with small necks, ripening evenly. Flesh creamy white, crisp and excellent flavor. Onions have a coppery yellow color, showy and handsome.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 75c.

234 YELLOW SWEET SPANISH. (Utah strain.) (110 days.) A very large, globe-shaped, light yellow Onion with small top. An exceptionally fine shipper It is a Spanish variety resembling Prizetaker, which has quickly become very popular. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 95c.

235 WHITE PORTUGAL (Silverskin). (100 days.) A well-known and favorite variety making medium-sized Onions of mild flavor with beautiful, clear white skin. Largely used for sets and pickling Onions. Bulbs are nearly round when of bunching size but somewhat flattened when mature. One of the best flattened sorts for general use.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 95c.

days.) A fine early or main-crop sort for home garden. Flesh is firm, fine grained, white, mild and more desirable for cooking than the yellow or red sorts. Bulbs are globe-shaped and keep well.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 95c.

#### **Onion and Garlic Sets**

ONION SETS. There are three distinct classes. Potato or Hill Onions can be planted in the fall from August to November and produce green spring Onions, large Onions, and Sets. Perennial or Egyptian Top Onion Sets are planted in the fall and produce green spring Onions early in the spring. Bottom Sets, yellow or white, are small Onions that were previously grown from seed. These set out early in the spring produce one large Onion from each set, toward the end of June or first of July. All Onion Sets are hardy and can be set in the open ground as early as the weather will permit. They are usually planted in rows 15 inches apart—4 inches for small sets and 6 to 8 inches apart for Potato Sets. Potato Onion Sets can also be planted in the spring. It takes about 16 bushels of Bottom Onion Sets per acre, and 20 to 25 bushels of Potato Onion Sets, according to the size and distance apart.

Prices of Onion Sets are subject to market changes. Prices on request.

GARLIC SETS. Garlic is used for flavoring choice foods. Easily grown mother sets are composed of several sections. Each section should be separated and planted individually, 4 to 6 inches apart in rows 1½ to 3 feet apart. Cover with an inch of soil. Remove from soil when tops turn yellow, and dry in the shade.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 60c; lb. \$1.00.

#### OKRA or GUMBO

Okra pods are used in soups, stews, catsup and other relishes and are rapidly becoming a most popular vegetable. They are at their best when 1 to 3 inches long.

Culture. Sow in drills  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart after the weather has become settled and warm. Thin out to 18 inches apart in rows. To keep for winter, slice the pods when young in narrow rings and string or hang in the shade to dry.

A packet sows 15 feet, an ounce about 50 feet, 8 pounds an acre.

224 WHITE VELVET. (60 days.) An early-maturing and very productive variety growing about 3½ feet high. Pods white, long, smooth, and very tender. This is not so deeply ribbed as the green sorts and is very popular in some sections. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼lb. 60c.

225 DWARF STALK LONG GREEN. (50 days.) One of the most popular sorts in the South. Grows 3 feet high and produces large pods, deeply ribbed, tender and of fine flavor.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 60c.

226 PERKINS' MAMMOTH LONG POD (TALL). (60 days.) Produces long, slender, deep green pods which remain tender a long time.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 60c.

#### **PARSNIPS**

This fine vegetable should be in every home garden. Parsnips grow best in a loose, rich, sandy soil but will make good roots in any soil that is reasonably rich and deep. They are improved by freezing.

Culture. Sow in April in drills 18 inches apart, covering lightly. When the plants are about 2 inches high, thin out from 4 to 6 inches apart.

A packet sows 20 feet,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce 100 feet, 3 pounds an acre.

242 HOLLOW CROWN. ● (95 days.) One of the best and most popular varieties for the table. Roots long, uniform in shape, with a smooth, white skin, tender and of good quality.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

#### PARSLEY

Easily grown and useful for many purposes, such as garnishing, seasoning salads and for ornaments. Grown in the garden as edging it is both decorative and profitable.

Culture. Seed is sown in rows ½ inch deep and a foot apart. Cover firmly but not deep. Seed is slow to germinate, usually taking three to four weeks; soaking in water is desirable.

A packet sows 30 feet of row, an ounce 200 feet, 3 pounds an acre.

239 MOSS CURLED. (70 days.) A beautifully curled and crimped variety with finely cut and curled leaves. Excellent for garnishing.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 65c.

240 HAMBURG or ROOTED. (90 days.) Has plain leaves, which can be used like ordinary Parsley. Plants form edible roots resembling slender parsnips in color and shape, which are used for flavoring soups and stews. They can be dug late and stored in winter.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 65c.

241 PLAIN or SINGLE. (72 days.) Spreading plants with dense, long stem and dark green foliage. Leaves coarsely cut but not curled. Used for flavoring as well as for drying.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 65c.



239 Moss Curled Parsley

#### **GARDEN PEAS**

Our Peas are all Idaho grown, from select seed stock of excellent quality. The earliest sorts can be planted just as soon as the ground is in condition to work. They are not injured by light frosts. Wrinkled varieties should be planted a little later, for they are tender. For fall crop sow in August.

Culture. Peas succeed best in light, rich loamy soil. The early dwarf varieties can be planted in rows 2 feet apart, the tall varieties in rows 3 feet apart. Seeds should be planted at a depth of 1½ to 2 inches. All varieties growing more than 1½ feet high do better if staked up or otherwise supported when 4 to 6 inches tall.

A packet sows 20 feet of row, a pound 100 feet, 120 to 180 pounds an acre.

#### Early Varieties (Smooth Seed)

245 EXTRA EARLY. (54 days.) One of the best strains of extra early Peas, producing abundantly. Vines from 2 to 2½ feet high; pods 3 to 3½ inches long, well filled with delicious Peas. Yield is so abundant that it is the most profitable of all for market gardeners, and home gardens. Seed is white, smooth, medium size. Vines thrifty, vigorous, robust and extremely productive.

Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; 1b. 50c; 5 1bs. \$2.25.

246 ALASKA. (54 days.) A favorite producing long, straight pods that will stand shipping and remain green longer than white-seeded sorts. Vines about 2½ feet high, fairly vigorous, usually producing good yields. Pods long, straight and of attractive appearance.

Pkt. 15c; ½lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

247 EARLY BIRD. (60 days.) The earliest large-podded, dwarf sort. Vines about 18 inches high, with light green foliage. Produces an abundance of single and double, curved, pointed, medium dark green, attractive pods about 4 inches in length, with 9 to 10 Peas. Tender and of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

#### Early Varieties (Wrinkled Seed)

248 GRADUS. ● (60 days.) One of the very best early, wrinkled, large-podded Peas. Vine of medium height, about 3 to 3½ feet. The pods are 4 to 4½ inches long, Peas very large, splendid quality and a beautiful light green color.

Pkt. 15c; 1/2lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

249 THOMAS LAXTON. ● (60 days.) A very popular gardener's variety. Height 3 feet; vine and foliage moderately stout, medium green. Pods 3½ inches long, straight and square ended, containing 7 medium dark green Peas of excellent quality. Extremely productive.

Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; 1b. 55c; 5 lbs. \$2.50.

250 LAXTONIAN. (63 days.) One of the largest podded of the dwarf wrinkled Peas. Pods are about 4 inches in length, of a beautiful dark green color and splendid quality. Vigorous, productive vines averaging 15 to 18 inches in height; dark green foliage.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

251 LITTLE MARVEL. ● (62 days.) An extra early dwarf wrinkled sort particularly suited to home gardens. Vines 15 to 18 inches high; vigorous, dark green foliage. Pods 3 inches long, round with blunt ends, often containing 7 rich, dark green Peas of high quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

252 AMERICAN WONDER. (60 days.) A favorite dwarf, early, wrinkled Pea that is splendid for family use. Vines about 9 inches to 1 foot high, covered with well-filled pods about 2¾ inches long, containing 5 to 8 large, exceedingly sweet, tender Peas.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 51bs. \$2.75.

253 LAXTON'S PROGRESS. ● (62 days.) Produces the largest pods of any of the early dwarf varieties. Vines average about 18 inches in height. The large dark green pods are borne in abundance and are well filled with extra large, tender Peas of superior quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

254 NOTT'S EXCELSIOR. (60 days.) Remarkably hardy and can be planted almost as early as smooth sorts. Height 1 to 1½ feet. One of the best for home gardens and profitable for market gardeners. Pkt. 20c; ½lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

255 PREMIUM GEM. (63 days) This has long been a favorite among early dwarf Peas. Vines vigorous and productive, growing 15 to 18 inches high; pods 2¾ inches long, crowded with Peas of fine quality.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

256 WORLD'S RECORD. (60 days.) Grows 30 inches tall. Large-podded, extra early wrinkled Pea. Pods are uniformly large, measuring 4½ to 5½ inches, nearly round and packed with handsome wrinkled Peas of the finest flavor.

Pkt. 15c; ½1b. 30c; lb. 55c; 5 lbs. \$2.50.

### Midseason Varieties (Wrinkled Seed)

257 DWARF TELEPHONE. (74 days.) Similar in general characteristics to the well-known Telephone. Pods 4½ to 5 inches long, dark green; Peas large, of superior quality, tender and sweet. Vines 3 feet high.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

258 ALDERMAN. • (75 days.) Yields more than any other variety. The pods resemble Telephone, but are larger and better filled, while the vines are more robust and more prolific. Height from 4 to 5 feet. For best results the vines should be given some support. The pods are immense, often 5 inches long, and contain 8 to 10 large Peas.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

259 IMPROVED TELEPHONE. (75 days.)
One of the leading Peas with market gardeners on account of its vigorous, tall growth and productiveness. Vines about 4 feet high, producing an abundance of very large, light green, pointed pods. Peas large, tender, very sweet, excellent flavor.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

# EDIBLE-PODDED or SUGAR PEAS

#### Cook Like String Beans

These varieties have all the sweetness and flavor of fresh green Peas. When the pods are partly filled, they are prepared like snap beans; when the seeds have developed, they are eaten as shelled Peas.

260 MAMMOTH MELTING SUGAR. (72 days.) Pods very large, 4½ inches long, broad, curved and twisted. When young, they are very tender, stringless and fine flavored. Vines are 4½ to 5 feet high, with light foliage; very strong growing and prolific.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 lbs. \$2.75.

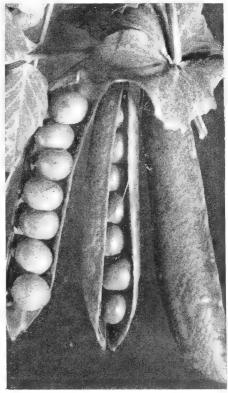
261 DWARF GREY SUGAR. (65 days.) Pods 3 inches long, light green in color, heavily curved. Vines are about 28 inches tall. A prolific variety and best of the dwarf edible-podded Peas.

Pkt. 20c; ½1b. 35c; 1b. 60c; 5 1bs. \$2.75.

INOCULATION FOR PEAS
Increase your yields of Peas by treating
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# All Varieties of Vegetables Marked • Are Excellent for Freezing



253 Laxton's Progress Peas

#### PEPPERS

#### Sweet or Mild

Culture. Peppers are not difficult to grow. For earliest yields sow in hotbeds and transplant to the open ground in May. Cover seed very lightly and keep the soil moist. Plants should be set about 15 inches apart in rows 2½ feet apart. If the Peppers are kept picked before they turn red, the plants will produce great numbers during the season.

A packet produces 100 plants, an ounce about 1000 plants.

262 VINEDALE. Extra early, very attractive, red, sweet. Full flavor. Thick sets of fruit about 4 x 2 inches with blunt ends and thick walls. 1952 All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Pkt. 25c.

263 KING OF THE NORTH. (64 days.) The plants are medium size, covered with large fruit, rather long, narrow, tapering. Flesh is thick, mild and sweet, dark green turning to rich deep red when ripe.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.20.

264 CALIFORNIA WONDER. (74 days.) Resembles Chinese Giant in the large size and blocky form of its fruit. Fruit crimson, measuring 41/2 inches in length by 4 inches in diameter, mild, sweet.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

265 EARLY CALWONDER. (68 days.) A valuable addition to the Pepper family not only for its earliness but also for its productiveness under less favorable conditions. Fruit approximately 4 inches long and 31/2 inches in diameter, three and four lobed, sweet and mild. Turns bright crimson at maturity.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

266 CHINESE GIANT. (80 days.) An enormous variety sometimes attaining 6 inches in diameter. It is very even in shape; flesh thick and sweet. Very highly recommended for home and market.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

267 BELL or BULL NOSE. (64 days.) large, early sort of mild flavor. Plant vigorous, 2 feet high, very productive, ripening its crop early and uniformly. Color deep green, which becomes bright crimson when ripe.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10.

268 RUBY KING. (68 days.) A very large and attractive sort, deep green when young, bright red when ripe. Flesh thick and mild. One of the best table sorts.

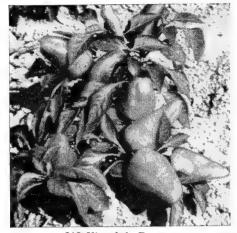
Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10.

269 RUBY GIANT. (70 days.) A variety of Mango Pepper of a desirable size and shape for stuffing. A cross of Ruby King and Chinese Giant; grows to large size and is very mild.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10.

270 WORLD BEATER. (70 days.) Fruit four-lobed, 5 inches long and 3½ inches in diameter. Flesh thick, mild and very sweet. Rich deep red when ripe.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10.



262 Vinedale Pepper

271 GOLDEN OUEEN. A GOLDEN QUEEN. (78 days.) A handsome, sweet, mild, yellow variety; fruit pendent, 4 inches long and about 3½ inches in diameter.

Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 80c; oz. \$1.50.

272 PIMENTO. (72 days.) Also known as Perfection. The fruit is of good size, medium length and attractive color. The flesh is thick and solid, mild and of fine flavor. Desirable for salads and stuffed Peppers. The fruit is deep green when young, becoming deep red as it matures. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.20.

## **Hot Peppers**

273 HUNGARIAN YELLOW WAX. (60 days.) An early variety that is larger and has thicker flesh than other hot Peppers. The fruits are 5½ to 6½ inches long and about 1½ inches in diameter, crumpled and hooked at the point. The color is waxy yellow when young, changing to orange and then to bright and ange and then to bright red.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 55c; oz. \$1.00.

274 LONG RED CAYENNE. (70 days.) A well-known medium early sort, having slender, twisted and pointed fruits about 4 inches long. Extremely strong and pungent, hence valuable for seasoning. Generally known as Lady Finger Pepper.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

#### SALSIFY

Often called "Oyster Plant." A desirable winter vegetable, easily grown. Roots are palatable and can be served boiled or as fritters.

Culture. Sow in April in rows 18 inches apart, thinning out to 4 to 6 inches. It is hardy and will remain out all winter, but if desired can be dug before winter and stored in earth or sand to keep it from wilting.

A packet sows 20 feet, an ounce 100 feet, 8 pounds an acre.

308 MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. (150 days.) The best sort, which is much larger and a great improvement over the old-fashioned long variety.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 45c; oz. 85c.

#### PUMPKIN

A few hills of Pumpkins should be in every garden. The quality of home-grown Pumpkins is far superior to the canned product.

Culture. Generally planted in corn after the last working and gathered after corn has been shocked. For field crop, plant in May or June in hills 8 feet apart, about 5 to 10 seeds to the hill, and cultivate until the vines get strong; then thin out, leaving two or three of the strongest plants in each

A packet plants 5 hills, an ounce 20 hills, 4 pounds an acre.

280 KING OF THE MAMMOTHS or POTIRON. (120 days) An enormous flattened variety sometimes attaining 60 to 90 pounds in weight. It is especially desirable for exhibition purposes and will find ready sale in most large cities at good

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

281 JAPANESE PIE. (110 days.) sembles the Cushaw Pumpkin in shape but is earlier and larger. Skin dark green, with lighter green stripes. Flesh yellowish orange, fine grained, of good flavor and quality. Weight about 12 pounds.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ½1b. \$1.00.

282 TENNESSEE SWEET POTATO. (110 days.) Medium size, of creamy yellow color with light green stripes. Flesh thick, fine grained, dry, brittle and of excellent flavor. Unsurpassed for pies and custards. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

283 GREEN STRIPED CUSHAW. (112 days.) Fruit fairly large, with crooked neck. Skin creamy white with green stripes. Flesh yellow, very thick, rather coarse but sweet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

286 SUGAR or NEW ENGLAND PIE. (108 days.) One of the best for the home An excellent pie sort. Nearly garden. round, 10 to 12 inches in diameter, rich orange color. Flesh thick, fine grained, sweet.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

287 CONNECTICUT FIELD. (118 days.) Used for planting in corn, for stock feeding and also for making pies. Fruits often 15 inches in diameter; smooth, reddish orange, ribbed skin with orange-yellow flesh. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/41b. 85c.

288 KENTUCKY FIELD. (120 days.) Most commonly known and widely grown for canning and stock feed. A hardy grower and good keeper. Fruits very much flattened, creamy yellow color; flesh orange. Very productive.

Pkt. 10c. oz. 25c. 1/1b. 75c.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

289 GOLDEN CUSHAW. (115 days.) A large type used for baking, boiling, canning and for pies. Fruits about 20 inches long, 9 inches in diameter, golden yellow in color, complete crooked neck which is long and slender. Flesh is sweet, tender and rich golden yellow in color. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c; ¼1b. \$1.00.

#### **TAMPALA**

333 TAMPALA. (55 days.) A delicious green vegetable with leaves that are cooked and served like spinach. Plants 1½ feet across, 2 feet high.

Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 45c; 1/40z. 75c.

#### RADISH · Finest Seed Stocks

Culture. For forcing in frames sow in January or February. Out-of-doors, sow from March to June for early summer crop, from July to September for late use. Early sorts mature and are ready for the table in 21 to 30 days from sowing. Quick growth is essential for tender, crisp Radishes, Hence, rich soil and plenty of moisture are essential. They can be sown at intervals of ten days to two weeks for early use or as a catch crop between rows of beets, lettuce, onions, etc.

A packet sows 20 feet of row, an ounce 100 feet, 10 pounds an acre broadcast.

#### **Round Varieties**

290 EARLY WHITE-TIPPED SCARLET. (25 days.) One of the handsomest and a general favorite in nearly all large markets. It is excellent as a forcing sort or for earliest planting outdoors. Roots nearly round, slightly flattened on under side. Color very deep scarlet with distinctive white tip. White flesh of best quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 60c.

291 EARLY WHITE TURNIP. (25 days.) Similar to Early Scarlet Turnip but a little more flattened and slightly earlier. Very small tops. Of quick growth, suitable for forcing or early planting. Color clear white; flesh crisp and tender. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/41b. 75c.

292 CHERRY BELLE. (22 days). See in color, back cover. All-America Bronze Medal Winner, 1949. A popular short-topped Scarlet Globe type for both forcing and outdoor garden use. Round, smooth and red, with crisp, firm white flesh. Extra early. Well recommended.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb.\$1.25.

- 294 FRENCH BREAKFAST. (24 days.) A small olive-shaped variety about 1½ inches long, which is very quick growing. Color beautiful deep scarlet shading to white at the tip; top small. Quick maturing and splendid for very earliest crop. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ½1b. 60c.
- 295 CRIMSON GIANT. (28 days.) Suitable both for forcing and for early planting out-of-doors. A remarkable feature is that it will grow double the size of other red forcing Radishes and still remain solid. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/41b. 60c.
- days.) One of the very best Radishes for earliest forcing or growing outside. Roots are slightly olive shape, rich bright scarlet color; flesh white and tender. Especially desirable for market and home gardeners on account of the showy qualities.

  Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/41b. 60c.
- 297 COMET. (25 days.) All-America Selection. A bright clear red, globe-shaped bunching or table Radish. Medium-sized top. Remains firm longer than most early globe varieties. Good for home and market gardens.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/41b. 75c.

For best results treat your vegetable seeds with seed disinfectants to protect them from fungus, molds and damping off. See page 57.

#### **Long Varieties**

298 CINCINNATI MARKET. (27 days.) Brilliant crimson with white flesh, sweet and tender. Grows 6 to 7 inches, straight and smooth, and does not become pithy until very old. Fine for market or home use.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 60c.

299 LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. (27 days.) For home or market. Tops short, small. Roots smooth, tender, bright red.
Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/41b. 60c.

**300 WHITE ICICLE.** (27 days.) The earliest long white variety for forcing and earliest outdoor crop. Productive, crisp and tender. Roots 5 to 6 inches long, with small tops.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 60c.

301 WHITE STRASBURG. (40 days.) A long, white Radish for summer use, remaining crisp and tender. Roots 1½ to 3 inches thick, 5 to 6 inches long, tapering. Tops medium; roots smooth, crystal white. For market or family use.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4oz. 75c.

#### Fall Radishes

**302 LONG BLACK SPANISH.** (55 days.) Long, thick, almost black roots, with white flesh. Pungent but well flavored. Roots 7 to 9 inches long and 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

- 303 CHINESE ROSE WINTER. (50 days.) Cylindrical roots, blunt at ends. Bright, deep rose shading to white. Skin smooth; flesh white, crisp, tender, pungent. Roots 4 to 5 inches long, 1½ to 2 inches in diameter Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼1b. 75c.
- **304 CHINESE WHITE WINTER** (Celestial). (55 days.) A large, stump-rooted Radish with white skin and flesh. Will keep a long time. Mild in flavor, brittle and never woody. Fine for market gardeners.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c.

- 305 CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE WINTER. (53 days.) Giant roots 9 to 12 inches long, 2 to 3 inches through, tapering to the tips, smooth and cylindrical. Skin and flesh white, tender and crisp. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼1b. 75c.
- 306 ROUND BLACK SPANISH. (55 days.) Roots globe shaped, 3½ to 4 inches in diameter. Skin roughened, black; flesh white, firm, crisp, and pungent. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ½lb. 75c.



308 America Spinach

#### **SPINACH**

MATURITY DATES following variety names are average days from sowing time until vegetable is ready for use.

Has long been one of the most popular of all greens. In this locality Spinach is sown broadcast in March or April for early crop and from July to September for fall and winter crop at the rate of about 12 to 20 pounds per acre. It can also be sown in drills 12 to 15 inches apart and cultivated.

A packet sows 25 feet, an ounce 75 feet in drills, 12 pounds an acre in drills, 20 pounds an acre broadcast.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pound is sufficient for a garden of medium size.

308 AMERICA. (62 days.) The best long-standing, heat-resisting, heavy-yielding, savoy-leaved Spinach. Grows 6 to 8 inches high and spreads 10 to 12 inches. 1952 All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 25c.; 1/4lb. 75c.

#### 309 BLOOMSDALE LONG STANDING.

• (45 days.) Quick-growing hardy Spinach for home and market use. Valuable for spring sowing or planting in the fall. Remains in the rosette stage for a long time without bolting.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

310 OLD DOMINION. ● (40 days.) A long-standing blight-resistant variety. It has the large, dark green, crumpled leaf of the Savoy and stands up longer than other blight-resistant kinds.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

311 BLOOMSDALE SAVOY RESE-LECTED. ● (40 days.) A very early sort, especially desirable for fall use. Plant is upright, having glossy, thick, crumpled, pointed, green leaves. A favorite sort for market gardeners and truckers.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

312 VIRGINIA BLIGHT-RESISTANT SAVOY. ● (40 days.) Developed at Virginia Experiment Station for mosaic resistance. Upstanding, vigorous plants that will stand three or four days longer before bolting. A valuable variety where blight is injurious to Spinach plantings.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

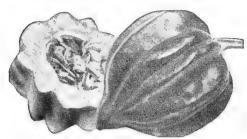
313 KING OF DENMARK. (48 days.) A very long-standing variety for home gardens and canning. Large, thick, smooth, dark green leaves, slightly crumpled.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

314 NEW ZEALAND. (55 days.) The hot-weather Spinach. An especially desirable sort for summer use, because it thrives during hot weather. Plant becomes very large and spreading; leaves small, broad and pointed. Plant 3 to 4 seeds in hills 2 feet apart each way. Germination will be hastened by soaking seed in warm water 24 hours before planting.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. 90c.

Suitable for Freezing



322 Table Queen Squash

## **SQUASH**

## Called Cymling in the South

Culture. Plant when the ground is fairly warm. Bush varieties are planted in hills 3 by 4 feet apart, running varieties 6 by 8 feet, about 4 to 6 seeds per hill, and thinned out later, leaving about three of the strongest plants in each hill. Hills similar to those made for cucumber with well-rotted manure or fertilizer are best. Winter varieties may be stored in a moderately warm, dry place of even temperature.

Summer Squash: a packet plants 8 to 10 hills, an ounce 30 hills, 4 pounds an acre. Winter Squash: a packet plants 6 to 8 hills, an ounce 15 hills, 2 pounds an acre.

#### **Summer Varieties**

- 315 COCOZELLE GREEN BUSH or ITALIAN VEGETABLE MARROW. (60 days.) Delicious and fine flavored. The color is deep green when young, ripening with alternate stripes of green and gold. The shape is long and slender. It is used when 10 to 12 inches long and is boiled or cut in slices and fried in butter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.
- 316 EARLY PROLIFIC STRAIGHT-NECK. (50 days.) Plants strictly bush and compact with ample foliage, permitting close planting. Fruits straight, smooth, and of delicate creamy color; firm and usable when only 4 to 5 inches long and until 12 to 14 inches long. Quality unsurpassed. Suitable for home, market garden and shipment. See color, back cover. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ¼lb. \$1.00.
- 317 GIANT SUMMMER STRAIGHT-NECK. (55 days.) This summer Squash has almost entirely replaced the Crookneck type in both home and commercial gardens. It differs from Crookneck only in shape; the "neck" instead of being curved is straight and more attractive in appearance and much easier to pack in crates for shipping. The fruit is lemonyellow in color, about 14 inches long and 3½ inches in diameter.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/41b. \$1.00.

318 EARLY YELLOW SUMMER CROOKNECK. ● (52 days.) An extensively used summer sort, with bush type of plant; very prolific. Fruits curved at neck, covered with warts and weighing about 3 pounds. Color is light yellow at early stage.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

- 319 GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK. (60 days.) Long, slim, pear-shaped fruits with curved necks. The flesh is firm, juicy and creamy white; early and productive. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.
- 320 WHITE BUSH SCALLOP (White Patty Pan). (56 days.) Fruit is creamy white and scalloped around the edges; milk-white, deliciously flavored flesh. Widely used for stewing or boiling. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

#### Winter Varieties

322 TABLE QUEEN or DES MOINES. (58 days.) Also called Acorn. Trailing in habit, with acorn-shaped fruits, which average about 6 inches long by 4 inches wide, just right to serve one-half to a person. Color dark green, except when overripe, when it changes to buff. Sweet orange-colored flesh.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

323 IMPROVED HUBBARD. (105 days.) One of the best winter Squashes. Flesh bright orange-yellow, fine grained, very dry, sweet and richly flavored. Fruit large, pointed at both ends, slightly warted; skin bronze-green. Excellent keeper.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

- 324 GOLDEN HUBBARD. (100 days.) Similar to the old Hubbard except that the skin is of a rich orange-red and heavily warted; flesh of extra fine quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; ¼1b. \$1.10.
- 325 WARTED HUBBARD. (105 days.) Similar in shape to Hubbard except that the surface is very much warted. Very handsome in appearance and of extra quality.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

326 BLUE HUBBARD. (120 days.) The fruits are an attractive blue-gray color, larger than the True Hubbard. The shell is rough and very hard; keeping qualities good. The flesh is bright yellow-orange, fine grained, dry and exceptionally sweet. Fruits grow 15 to 18 inches long and 9 to 12 inches across; average weight 15 pounds each.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; 1/4lb. \$1.10.

**327 BANANA.** (105 days.) Fruit 18 to 24 inches long and about 7 inches in diameter. Skin gray-blue, not so hard as that of the Hubbards. Flesh deep yellow, fine grained, dry, sweet.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00.

328 UCONN. (75 days.) 1950 All-America Gold Medal Winner. Bush type with acorn-shaped fruits, similar to Table Queen but smaller. Fruits smooth, light green when young, orange when over-mature.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4lb. \$1.00

#### **SAGE**

307 BROAD LEAF. An ornamental gray-leaved plant with blue flowers. Pick the leaves when half grown, dry, and powder them. An old favorite for flavoring meat and poultry dressings. Sow in the open ground. Thin plants to 6 inches apart. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

#### TURNIPS

Culture. For early use, sow in March or April, either broadcast or in drills. Turnips for main crop are sown from July to September 15, broadcast 1½ to 2 pounds per acre. Turnips for greens can be sown as late as October 1.

A packet sows 50 feet, an ounce 250 feet, 2 pounds an acre.

- days.) An early variety that is very sweet. Roots are medium size, plants purple, top flat. Best for private gardens and preferable for early market crop. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.
- 366 PURPLE TOP STRAP-LEAVED. (45 days.) A well-known early sort largely used in all sections. Our stock is extra choice.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

- 367 PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE. (55 days.) A very superior strain, producing large, smooth roots, which are sweet and tender. One of the best for early or main crop. Excellent when young or fully matured. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.
- 368 POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE. (75 days.) Flesh white, firm and crisp. A very desirable variety.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

369 SEVEN TOP, FOR TURNIP GREENS. (45 days.) Used entirely for greens; popular in the South. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.

# RUTABAGA or Swedish Turnip

Culture. Rutabagas require longer to mature than common Turnips and should be sown earlier. Sow the seed June 15 to July 1, in rows 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. Thin the plants to a foot apart.

A packet sows 50 feet, an ounce 250 feet.

370 AMERICAN PURPLE TOP. (90 days.) Extra choice yielder of fine flavor and good keeping quality. Roots 5 to 6 inches in diameter, globe to top shaped. Skin buff, with purplish red above ground and light yellow below.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4lb. 50c.



366 Purple Top Strap-Leaved Turnip

## **TOMATO**

Culture. For earliest crop, sow in a hotbed or shallow boxes in February or March and transplant when 2 or 3 inches high to small pots, trays or cold-frames. When danger of frost is past (usually in this climate May 1 to 10), set in open ground 3 by 4 feet apart. Tomatoes should be staked to keep the fruit from the ground, to prevent blight and mildew, and to make them more prolific. For late crop sow in open bed in April or May.

A packet produces 200 plants, an ounce about 2000 plants, 2 ounces enough plants for an acre.

The number of days indicated represents the time required from setting of plants to picking of fruit.

#### **Hybrid Varieties**

These varieties are all bred for extra vigor, disease resistance, yield and improved fruits. This breeding is very expensive, for it is accomplished by hand pollination.

334 McCULLOUGH'S HYBRID. (58 days.) New extra early true hybrid. Fruits globular, smooth, bright red. Yields from early June to frost. Quality excellent; flesh firm; flavor mild. Adapted to home or early market gardening.

Pkt. (approximately 35 seeds) 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00.

335 STOKESCROSS NO. 5 HYBRID. (75 days.) Distinguished by its amazing vigor. Fruit medium size, uniformly deep red. Rich flavor; excellent for slicing and canning. Well recommended for home and market because of its quality, firmness and color.

#### Disease-Resistant Varieties

Pkt. 25c; 1/8oz. \$1.00; oz. \$5.00.

336 RUTGERS CERTIFIED. (73 days.) An introduction by the New Jersey Experiment Station which has achieved general popularity. The fruit is large, globe shaped, deep red; small seed cavities and heavy cross walls. Ripens from the interior outward. One of the finest grown. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

337 BREAK O'DAY. (68 days.) The round, smooth fruit matures early. Color deep orange-red; very solid and of high quality. Resistant to blight; productive. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.

338 MARGLOBE CERTIFIED. (75 days.) A main-crop, blight-resistant variety. Fruits are large, globe shaped, smooth, coloring perfectly all over. Deep red all through. Resistant to fusarium wilt and nail-head rust.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

**339 PRITCHARD or SCARLET TOPPER CERTIFIED.** (75 days.) This is one of the finest Tomatoes ever grown. The fruits are medium to large, round, brilliant red; flesh is thick, firm, and with small seed cavity. The fruit is resistant to cracking. Excellent home and market variety. Shown in color, back cover.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.25.



334 McCullough's Hybrid

#### **Early Varieties**

**341 VALIANT CERTIFIED.** (70 days.) For short-season areas and early market. Fruit is large for an early variety, smooth, globe shaped, bright scarlet.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00.

**342 BONNY BEST.** (70 days.) The crop ripens more uniformly than any other early scarlet-fruited sort. Vines are vigorous and produce large, smooth, bright deep scarlet fruits of good quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 55c; oz. \$1.00.

343 CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL. (70 days.) Purplish scarlet fruit, nearly round, smooth, large; excellent quality. Ripens early and is not inclined to crack.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.20.

344 EARLIANA. (64 days.) Deep scarlet; very early. Medium to large, nearly round and very smooth, borne in clusters.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 70c; oz. \$1.25.

345 JOHN BAER. (70 days.) Similar to Bonny Best but often a few days earlier. Fruits bright deep scarlet-red, medium large, flattened, globe shaped, smooth and firm.

Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 45c; oz. 85c.

We recommend using CERTIFIED Tomato Seed when available. CERTIFIED means the seed is from plants that were inspected and CERTIFIED by State Departments of Agriculture where the seed was grown. The seed is CERTIFIED to be free from seed-borne diseases.

#### Second Early and Main Crop

347 CRIMSON CUSHION or BEEF-STEAK. (90 days.) Very large, round; bright scarlet skin, solid flesh. Very prolific. Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 75c; oz. \$1.40.

348 GREATER BALTIMORE. (78 days.) A heavy, thick-meated, midseason, scarlet-red variety. Large, smooth and solid. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

349 OXHEART. (90 days.) Fruit of oxheartshape, large, of excellent table quality. Skin purple; flesh frequently 2 inches thick, without a seed cavity. Flavor delicious. Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 75c; oz. \$1.40.

350 PONDEROSA. (85 days.) One of the largest and finest for home use. Vines vigorous, tall, fairly productive. Fruits purplish pink, very solid, with few seeds. Very free from acid. Excellent for slicing Pkt. 20c; ½0z. 75c; oz. \$1.40.

351 STONE CERTIFIED. (85 days.)
Large, very smooth, solid fruit, slightly flattened, deep red. Large yielder.
Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 65c; oz. \$1.20.

#### **Yellow Tomatoes**

355 YELLOW PONDEROSA. (86 days.) A large, mild-flavored variety, strongly resistant to wilt. Fruits very large, golden yellow, quite solid, with small seed cells. Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 75c; oz. \$1.40.

356 JUBILEE. (72 days.) Bright golden orange fruits of deep globe shape, weighing about 6 ounces. The orange-colored interior is thick walled, with few seeds; most attractive when sliced. The juice is rich orange colored, full flavored and really delicious.

Pkt. 20c; ½oz. 85c; oz. \$1.50.

#### **Small-Fruited Tomatoes**

357 RED CHERRY. (75 days.) Fruits small, round, rich deep red. Pkt. 15c.

358 YELLOW CHERRY. (75 days.) Fruits small, round deep yellow. Pkt. 15c.

359 RED PEAR. (75 days.) Pear shaped, about 2 inches long. Pkt. 15c.

360 YELLOW PEAR. (75 days.) Pear shaped, about 2 inches long. Pkt. 15c.

361 RED PLUM. (75 days.) Fruits oval 2 inches long, rich deep red. Pkt. 15c.

362 YELLOW PLUM. (75 days.) Fruits oval, 2 inches long, deep yellow. Pkt. 15c.

#### **TOBACCO**

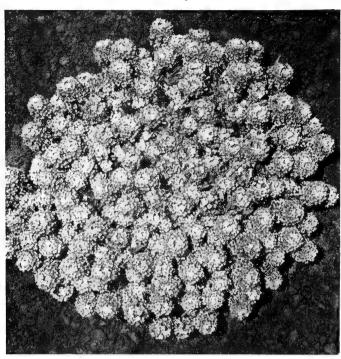
Culture. Sow seeds thinly from February to April in frames on a well-prepared seed bed. Press seed gently into the soil but do not cover it.

A packet produces 200 plants, an ounce 5000 plants, 2 ounces sufficient plants for an acre.

**Fermate.** Spray with Fermate to control blue mold in seed beds. Circular on request. See page 59.

329 KENTUCKY 16 CERTIFIED. Highyielding, stand-up, good quality Burley. Moderately resistant to black root-rot; widely adapted. Pkt. 20c; ½0z. 90c; oz. \$1.75.

# New Flowers and Specialties



1501 ALYSSUM, Royal Carpet

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In drifts of vibrant color like a tropical sea or as a neat and wellbehaved edging for the flower bed, this new companion for Carpet of Snow will grow only a few inches high but 10 inches across, flowering from when only weeks old until the end of the season. The easiest flower to raise from seed, it has no pest or disease troubles and will self-sow for next year. Pkt. 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00

#### 1502 PETUNIA, Comanche Bronze Medal Winner, 1953, F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid

The reddest of all Red Petunias, larger than Fire Chief, with flowers 2½ to 2¾ inches across. Plant 13 inches wide. Excellent for Pkt. 75c

#### 1503 PETUNIA, Lipstick

A vigorous new Petunia in the Dwarf Bedding class, with an unusual glowing color difficult to reproduce in print. Basically, it is carmine-rose overlaid with a touch of salmon. Plants are compact, 12 to 14 inches high, early and extremely free flowering, bearing a wealth of  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch flowers all summer. Pkt. 50c

#### 1504 PETUNIA, Summer Night

Plain-edged flowers of rich deep purple, ideal for pots or bedding. It is very compact and flowers all at once, with all the blooms the same height. Blooms about three weeks later than Dwarf Elk's Pride.

#### 1505 PETUNIA, Ballerina All-America Winner, 1952

Ballerina is a soft glowing salmon. Dwarf, compact, vigorous plants. Excellent for pots; outstanding in the garden. Single.

Pkt (200 seeds) 50c

#### 1506 PETUNIA, Tango

Bright deep scarlet-salmon. Makes a blazing mass of color in the garden but still dwarf enough for pot plants. A very popular single Petunia; truly sensational wherever grown.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 50c

## 1507 PETUNIA, Mixed (All-Double)

All-Double Victorious Petunias mixed from named varieties. Dwarf Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.25 habit and large, well-fringed flowers.

#### 1508 PETUNIA, Fringed Snowstorm

Large flowering, single fringed, pure white. Plants compact, 12 inches high, with a wide spread of bloom. Pkt. 50c

#### 1509 PETUNIA, Glow

Dwarf, compact plants; flowers bright carmine-red. Does not Pkt. 25c fade. A very profuse bloomer.

1510 COSMOS, Fiesta All-America Selection, 1952

The festival colors of Old Mexico combined in one flower. For the first time anywhere there is a true scarlet Cosmos. Early, heat-loving, easy to grow, Fiesta makes a 2½-foot plant with a riot of color all summer. Flowers are semi-double, ruffled, amidst lacy foliage. It's a cut flower for the house and a handsome border subject for the garden.

Pkt. 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00

#### 1511 DELPHINIUM, Astolat

(Pacific Strain)

The first group of entirely novel shades in Delphinium. Color variation extends from pale blush through all shades of lilac-pink to deep raspberry-rose, with large brown, fawn and black bees for contrast.

Pkt. 75c

#### LARKSPUR, Supreme

A new strain of large-flowered Larkspur with florets closely spaced on the spikes, capable of forcing. Base branching; 5 feet tall or more.

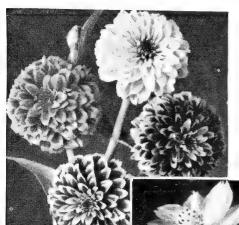
1512 Dark Blue 1513 Lilac

1514 Pink 1515 Salmon 1516 White 1517 Mixed

Each of the above, pkt. 25c



# New Flowers and Specialties, continued



← //// 1530 ZINNIA Persian Carpet



#### **NEW PRINCESS ASTER**

Wilt-resistant, 3 to 3½-inch, quilled flowers whose "cushion" centers show no eye.

1518 Goldilocks. Early; deep yellow.

1519 Nancy. Glowing salmon-pink with gold center.

1520 Virginia. Bright mid-blue. Crop Failure

Each of the above, pkt. 25c

#### 1521 SALVIA, St. John's Fire

Selected strain of uniform and compact 10-inch plants. Bright scarlet flowers. Early. Pkt. 25c

#### 1522 DIDISCUS, Lace Veil

Lace Veil is pure white, a good companion to the blue Coeruleus. A wonderful cut flower and will take dye beautifully. Imagine it in any color for flower arrangements or bouquets. **Crop failure.** 

#### 1523 BELL OF IRELAND

The several branching stems are closely set with big bell-calyces of pale, translucent green. Within each calyx lies a curiously formed little white flower. Cuts well as a fresh flower; also the spikes may be dried for winter decoration as a straw-flower.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1524 CYCLAMEN, Hardy

Neapolitanum. Beautiful, marbled, heart-shaped foliage for that shaded spot that needs filling. Perfect little cyclamen blooms appear both spring and fall, growing about 4 inches high. Colors vary from white to pink and rose. After blooming, the flower stems curl downward to nestle among the leaves in a most attractive fashion. Perfectly hardy.

Pkt. 35c

#### 1525 GERANIUM

Flowerland Improved Hybrids. Single, large flowered, from named varieties. Will provide a wide range of colors. Pkt. 50c

#### 1526 ZINNIA, Riverside Beauty

The cactus-flowered type but with petals more curled. Color is most unusual in Zinnias—a glowing warm azalea-pink unavailable until now. Plants are 2 to 2½ feet high, with long strong stems.

#### 1527 ZINNIA, Peppermint Stick

A novelty striped Zinnia in a wide range of color, including red and white, red and yellow, pink and white, orange and yellow, purple and white, and many others. Plants somewhat taller than the Pumila type, bearing medium-sized flowers of the same type. One of the best cut-and-come-again Zinnias. An early strain; will bloom till frost if flowers are kept picked.

Pkt. 20c

#### 1528 ZINNIA, Burpee Hybrids

This is a widely varied mixture, generally of the cactus or chrysanthemum-flowered type, with petals fluffy but not twisted. Contains most of the usual Zinnia colors, including some bicolors and delicate shades not occurring in blended mixtures.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1529 CREEPING ZINNIA, Orange Glory

Here is a new color in one of the most satisfactory ground covers available (botanically, Sanvitalia procumbens). Heat-loving, easy-to-grow plants are 6 to 7 inches high and spread as much as 14 inches hearing masses of double, ½-inch, bright orange flowers all through summer. Trouble-free.

Pkt. 20c

#### 1530 ZINNIA, Persian Carpet All-America Selection, 1952

Like tiny dahlias, each with its pointed petals tipped with contrasting color, these perfect miniature Zinnias make the ideal garden edging subject. Blooms early in tidy, well-behaved, 12-inch mounds of brilliant color. Stems of cutting length, with dainty foliage. Flowers fit into a modern setting, yet look perfectly at home in an old-fashioned bouquet. Easy to grow, thriving on heat, it produces a wealth of bloom with minimum care.

Pkt. 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00



1527 ZINNIA, Peppermint Stick

# New Flowers and Specialties, continued



1533 MARIGOLD, Glitters

#### 1531 MARIGOLD, Color Magic

Neat 12-inch mounds covered with flowers so variegated in color that none are quite alike. The result of an unusual cross in French Marigolds. Flowers are large, with combinations of deep gold and henna-red unlike anything previously seen.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1532 MARIGOLD, Cupid

This is a Marigold with a history. The sole extra-dwarf African (chrysanthemum-flowered) Marigold in circulation, it was developed during World War II, but production problems kept the supply almost nil. Cupid is the perfect pot or edging Marigold, bearing 2½ to 3-inch, lemon-yellow flowers in profusion on a compact, 8-inch plant.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1533 MARIGOLD, Glitters All-America Selection, 1951

A new chrysanthemum-flowered African Marigold. Glitters is similar to, but much earlier than the well-known Mammoth Mum. The plants are 2½ to 3 feet high and quite erect. Bright lemon-yellow, medium-sized flowers. We suggest its use where earliness or profuse bloom are desired. Pkt. 20c

#### 1534 MARIGOLD, Happiness

Very early. Blooms so abundantly that the plant is literally a ball of color. A dwarf, 18-inch, chrysanthemum-flowered African Marigold with deep golden yellow flowers about 3 inches across. Makes good cut flowers.

Pkt. 20c

#### 1535 MARIGOLD, Primrose

The perfect companion to Guinea Gold with the same uniform 2-foot plant which thrives under adverse conditions. Flowers delicate primrose-yellow, 3 inches across, of loose-petaled carnation type. Midseason.

Pkt. 20c

#### 1536 MARIGOLD, Firefly

A new incurved chrysanthemum type Marigold. Deep glowing orange color. Plants grow 26 inches high and produce 4 to 5-inch flowers. Fine cutting variety.

Pkt. 20c

#### 1537 DWARF MORNING-GLORY, Royal Marine

An entirely new break in this beautiful annual. Sown in the open it will grow and flower freely without any special gardening skill. Its almost carpeting growth makes it a fitting subject for the rockery or front of a border, where its profusion of rich royal blue flowers will be found most attractive.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1538 GODETIA, Celestial

The most striking features of this new dwarf variety are its attractive coloring, its bushy, almost ball-shaped habit of growth, and its very narrow foliage. The flowers, which are freely produced, are a beautiful shade of lavender, with paler centers, against which the most unusual black anthers show to perfection.

Pkt. 25c

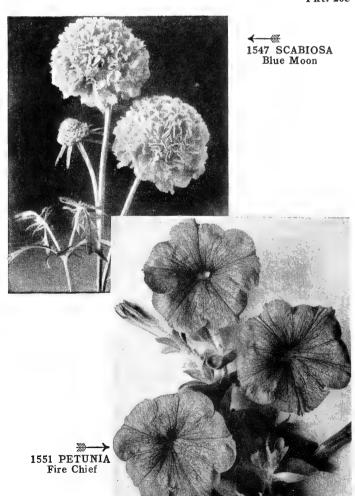
#### 1539 ASTER, Bouquet Type

"Puff-ball" flowers are borne as a bouquet at the top of this new class of Aster. Flowers double even when full-blown, on upright plants. When planted behind branching types the result is a ribbon of solid color of even height. Plants 24 inches high; flowers 3 to 3½ inches in diameter. Wilt-resistant. Mixed Colors.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1540 CELOSIA, Golden Fleece

Looking for something really unusual? Here is an annual that will stand any amount of hot weather, germinates so fast you have to jump back when planting, laughs at pests and diseases and will cut-and-come-again all summer long. A new giant form of Ostrich Plume or Feathered Cockscomb. Plumes are huge and dense, on long cutting stems. A wonderful cut flower as well as a showy border plant.



# New Flowers and Specialties, continued

#### CELOSIA (Cockscomb)

The popular name is derived from the resemblance of the flower heads of the crested type to a cock's comb, though in texture they are like plush or chenille. Do not use commercial fertilizers, for they tend to make the combs or flower heads break and grow rank. Cow manure is best.

**1541 Gilbert's Crimson Gold.** The flowers are clusters of beautiful ruffled crimson velvet 6 to 10 inches across. Each ruffle is tipped with pure yellow. Plants are 3 feet high; bronze foliage. Especially suitable for cut flowers; also dries for winter arrangements.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 250

1542 Gilbert's Green Gold. A most unusual color combination and lovely in all pastel arrangements. Silver-green, ball-shaped flower combs that become fused with light pink and just a touch of yellow. Height 2 feet; foliage bright green; flower heads 6 to 10 inches across. Dries a silvery color and is the only Celosia of any type that will take a perfect dye or tinting. Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c

1543 Gilbert's Harlequin. Bush type, developing both base and side branches until it is a perfect mass of color. Uniform in growth, 18 inches in height, with bright green foliage. When small it starts as a pink tipped with gold that turns to salmon, then to a bright shell-pink. A wonderful pot plant, and outdoors it will last and keep blooming till frost.

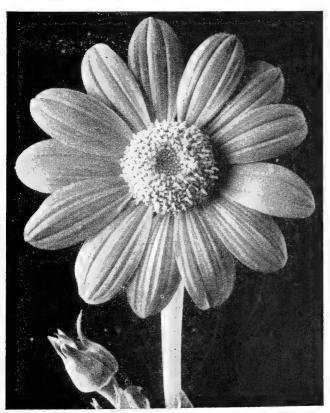
Pkt. (150 seeds) 25c

1544 Gilbert's Maple Gold. Starts forming lovely round maple-pink heads when quite small and grows increasingly beautiful as each ruffled segment becomes tipped with yellow. Plants 2 to 3 feet in height, of strong branching type, with each stem terminating in a ball-shaped, clustered head. May be cut at any stage and used in arrangements or dried for winter.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c

1545 Gilbert's Rose Beauty. Mammoth ball-shaped combs 10 to 16 inches across. Beautiful deep rose-pink on a silver base. Height 3 to 4 feet, with bright green foliage. Plants non-branching unless pinched back. Unexcelled as either a cut flower or dried for winter bouquets, as it keeps its rich color perfectly.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c



1552 TITHONIA, Torch



1549 POLYANTHUS (Bunch Primrose)

#### 1546 SCABIOSA, Coral Moon

Member of a new race of Scabiosa, Coral Moon has long, wiry stems and large, ball-shaped flowers with broad, frilled petals. Blooms range from medium to deep salmon-pink. Plants from 42 to 48 inches tall, covered with bloom from summer till frost. Does much better under warm conditions than the older types. Annual. Pkt. 20c

#### 1547 SCABIOSA, Blue Moon

A deep lavender-blue companion for Coral Moon. Long stems, fine for cutting. Annual. Pkt. 20c

#### 1548 SCABIOSA, Parma Violet

Intense rich parma violet color. Large, solid flowers borne on long stems. Annual. Pkt. 25c

#### 1549 Polyanthus, Blackmore & Langdon Strain (Bunch Primrose)

A choice strain of many brilliant colors of good size and habit. A showy, free-flowering perennial, ideal for borders, rock gardens and wild gardens. Will thrive in full sun if in moist soil; otherwise they must have partial shade. Mixed colors. Pkt. 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00

# 1550 GLOBE PHLOX, Mixed All-America Selection, 1951

Dwarf annual, very compact and unique. Globe-shaped plant 5 to 8 inches high and 12 inches wide makes domes of practically solid color.

Pkt. 35c; 3 pkts. \$1.00

#### 1551 PETUNIA, Fire Chief All-America Gold Medal Winner, 1950

The reddest Petunia you have ever seen. The large, single red blooms are borne in profusion all season, holding their bright color without fading. Erect growth about a foot high, freely branched but strong and upright. Attractive in beds and borders, as an edging or pot plant. Combines well with other garden flowers.

Pkt. 25c

#### 1552 TITHONIA, Torch All-America Silver Medal Winner, 1951

Orange-red, easily grown annual that thrives in hot weather. A cut flower that blooms from August to frost. Only waist-high, compact enough for any garden. Disease-free plants. Pkt. 25c

# McCullough's Annual Flower Seeds

The life of the true annual does not extend longer than one season. The plant grows from seed, produces flowers, ripens its seeds and perishes in the same year. Annuals have many advantages. The seeds are inexpensive and the flowers can be enjoyed by the home renter as well as the home owner. Because of their short period of growth, they can be used to fill gaps in the perennial border and to succeed plantings of spring-blooming bulbs, such as tulips, hyacinths, etc. Annuals have a delicate beauty all their own and no plants surpass them in brilliancy for summer display. They furnish material for a whole garden, as well as cut flowers for home decoration. A succession of bloom may be had by occasional sowing of many sorts, such as Alyssum, Candytuft, Eschscholtzia, Zinnias, etc. In the latitude of Cincinnati, Ohio, these sowings may be made as late as July 1 to 15. Another

method now being used with such annuals as Cornflowers, Gypsophila, Larkspur, Petunia, etc., is to plant the seeds in the autumn for early spring bloom.

NOTE: We send out no untested seed. When failure occurs, we invariably find that the seed has been planted too deep or the soil has been permitted to become excessively dry, or the reverse, while germination is taking place.

Seeds of annuals, unless otherwise noted, should be started indoors in a light, sifted soil with sand and humus or clean leaf-mold added. Water soil thoroughly, allow to drain, then sow seed thinly in rows. Cover with paper or glass to conserve moisture. Transplant outdoors when all danger of frost has passed. They may also be sown where they are to flower, thinning out the young plants later.

All varieties marked (\*) are especially suitable for the rock garden.

# Ageratum (Floss-Flower)

One of the best bedding plants, being literally a sheet of bloom from early summer till frost. Easily raised from seed started in a hotbed and in May transferred to the garden, 4 to 6 inches apart. Can also be sown outdoors in May.

\*375 MIDGET BLUE. Very dwarf, growing 2 to 3 inches high, with delicate, fine foliage. Practically smothered with small, true Ageratum-blue flowers.

Pkt. 15c; ½6oz. 50c

\*376 THE GOLDEN. Flowers are closely clustered, fluffy rich yellow. Pkt. 15c clustered, fluffy rich yellow.

377 BLUE PERFECTION. Large heads of deep blue flowers in abundance. Height 12 inches. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 40c

\*378 FAIRY PINK. A dwarf compact Ageratum of a delightful soft salmon-rosepink color. Height 5 inches. Pkt. 15c

#### Alyssum

A fragrant edging plant with small, white flowers in great profusion throughout the summer and autumn. Useful for borders and window boxes.

\*379 CARPET OF SNOW. Of creeping habit, forming a dense carpet of beautiful white flowers. Height 4 inches.

Pkt. 10c; ¼oz. 40c; oz. 75c

\*380 TOM THUMB (Little Gem). A splendid sort for edges, borders or rock work. Height about 6 inches. A compact mass of bloom 12 to 15 inches across. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 30c; oz. 85c

381 SWEET. Height about 8 to 10 inches but spreading. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c

382 VIOLET QUEEN. Bright violet, lasting well in hot sun. Pkt. 15c; ½8oz. 45c SAXATILE COMPACTUM. See Perennials, page 43.

#### Amaranthus

Effective plants because of their brilliantly colored foliage. Flowers are interesting. Best in sunny positions in rather poor soil.

383 MOLTEN FIRE. Brilliant poinsettia-Pkt. 15c like tips.

384 TRICOLOR (Joseph's Coat). 2½ ft. The inner foliage is of blackest bronze, tipped with green; the outer bright scarlet and gold. Pkt, 10c

#### Anchusa

385 BLUE BIRD. A dwarf compact type, 18 inches high, with indigo-blue flowers. Blooms freely during late spring and summer. Pkt. 15c; ¼oz. 45c summer.

ITALICA. See Perennials, page 43.

#### Gorgeous Snapdragons (Antirrhinum)

Snapdragons have been amazingly improved in size and color. They are hardy and should be sown early, as they germinate slowly. Unless very rich soil is provided and all plants are staked, the dwarf and semitall class will be most satisfactory in the garden. They are effective in beds of solid color and require full sun. Keep seed pods picked off. If intended for winter flowering, cut back in September.

386 VELVET GIANT. The large flowers have a pronounced velvety texture. Deep crimson illumined with undertone of orange-bronze. 2½ feet tall, with 6 to 12 spikes to a plant.

#### Rust-Resistant Super Majestic Snapdragons

387 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 15c; 1/16oz. 60c

#### Antirrhinum Rust-Resistant Maximum

These are approximately 3 feet high and the individual flowers are very large.

388 ALASKA (Snowflake). Pure white.

389 CAMPFIRE. Luminous scarlet.

390 CANARY BIRD. Canary yellow.

391 COPPER KING. Copper-orange to gold.

392 RED CROSS. Crimson, with white tube.

393 PINK SENSATION. Clear pink.

394 SWING TIME. Rose-pink.

395 YELLOW GIANT. Deep yellow.

Any of the above Maximum varieties: Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 90c

396 MAXIMUM MIXED.

Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 90c

#### Rust-Resistant Snapdragon Majus Grandiflorum

Approximately 2 feet high.

397 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 60c
\*398 MAGIC CARPET. A good range of colors, 4 to 6 inches high, covered with miniature flowers. Pkt. 15c.

#### Antirrhinum Rust-Resistant Nanum Grandiflorum

Approximately 1 to 1½ feet high.
399 DU BARRY. Salmon-rose.
400 INDIAN GIRL. Beautiful old-gold.
401 GARNET. Rich velvety crimson.
402 WILDFIRE. Bright orange-scarlet.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 80c 403 NANUM GRANDIFLORUM MIXED.

Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 50c 404 ANTIRRHINUM, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA MIXTURE. An excellent mixture of rust-resistant Antirrhinums similar to the Majus Grandiflorum.

Pkt. 10c; 1/8oz. 60c

Tetra Snapdragons

405 PINK SHADES. (Rust-Resistant.) Light pink to deep rose. Tall, very vigorous plants; long spikes with huge florets. Base branching.

Pkt. 20c 406 YELLOW SHADES. (Rust-Resistant.)

Brilliant yellow. Tall, vigorous plants. Pkt. 20c

407 MIXED. (Rust-Resistant.) Largest of Pkt. 15c all Snapdragons.

408 CHERRY ROSE. (Rust-Resistant.) Brilliant cherry-rose. Pkt. 15c 409 AUTUMN SHADES. (Rust-Resistant.) Pkt. 15c Blend of bright orange and buff. Pkt. 15c

#### SNAPDRAGON COLLECTION

2396 One pkt. each of Swing Time, Red Cross, Copper King, Canary Bird, Alaska. (Value 75c)

5 pkts. 60c

#### Arctotis

(Blue-Eyed African Daisy)

410 GRANDIS. Forms much branched bushes 2 to 3 feet high. Flowers are large and showy, white on the upper surface, the reverse of petals palelilac-blue. Blooms early

in July until frost. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 40c 411 ARCTOTIS HYBRIDS. Pink, red, purple, violet, yellow and orange shades, all showing the characteristic blue center.

## McCULLOUGH'S ASTERS **New Types and Wilt-Resistant Strains**

Asters are the glory of our gardens in August and September, just when good flowers for cutting and garden display are wanted. To succeed with Asters, sow the seed in flats in the house or hotbed in March. Transplant the seedlings 2 inches apart in boxes, and when they are large enough to handle, move to permanent beds in May. For late crops sow outdoors late April or early May. The richer the ground, the better your flowers will be, and water is very necessary.

#### Aster, Princess

Neat, 3 to 3½-inch flowers on strong stems with branching habit. Quite wilt-resistant. Deep quilled cushion centers make the flowers full even when completely open.

412 FINEST MIXED.

Pkt. 15c

# Early Giant Wilt-Resistant

Finest large-flowered, heavy-stemmed, wilt-resistant Aster vet developed. Flowers are of the large Giants of California type, while the plants are less than 2 feet in height.

413 EARLY GIANT MIXED. All colors.

Pkt. 15c

#### Aster, Golden Sheaf (Wilt-Resistant)

414. The deepest yellow Aster yet offered, and the only one that is wilt-resistant. The flowers are fully double, with an attractive crest-like center, of good substance Pkt. 15c and fine depth of petal.

#### Aster, Ballet Queen (Wilt-Resistant)

416. Deep rose touched with salmon, assuming a soft bronze color when many flowers are massed in sunlight. Extremely double, 3½-inch flowers, useful for both bedding and cutting. Early and free blooming. Fine border plant since it is Pkt. 20c wilt-resistant.

#### Aster, Ballet Type (Wilt-Resistant)

417. The earliest of all Asters, with distinctive crested center. It is this full center that makes the Ballet Type extremely double. In addition it is very wilt-resistant. Mixed Pkt. 20c

#### New Aster Giant California Sunshine

We now offer delightful new colors in the popular Aster Giant California Sunshine group. These plants grow 3 feet high and bear blossoms 5 and 6 inches across on long, stiff stems. The dual-tone color effects formed by the quilled disc and the encircling guard petals are lovely beyond description.

415 GIANT CALIFORNIA SUNSHINE Mixed. All colors.

#### Heart of France Asters

424. Brilliant dark red flowers similar to the American Branching in type. Highly wilt-resistant. Blooms on strong stems in Iate August or September. Height 2 feet.
Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 50c

#### Asters, Wilt-Resistant Super Giants

Largest of all Asters and a superb cut flower because of its long, wiry, non-branching stems and huge, ostrich-feather flowers. Brilliant new range of colors; completely wilt-

418 HOLLYWOOD. White.

419 PASADENA. Peach-blossom.

421 EL MONTE. Crimson.

422 SANTA BARBARA. Purple.

423 MIXED

Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; 1/8oz. 60c

2423 COLLECTION. One pkt. each of the above 4 colors, 50c.

#### Wilt-Resistant Early Royal Asters

427 AZURE-BLUE.

428 DEEP ROSE.

429 PEACH BLOSSOM.

430 PURPLE.

431 WHITE.

432 FINEST MIXED.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c

#### Wilt-Resistant Crego Asters

433 ORCHID. 434 CRIMSON.

435 PEACH BLOSSOM.

436 PINK.

437 PURPLE.

**438 WHITE.** 

439 FINEST MIXED.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; 1/8oz. 45c

## BALSAM PEAR and APPLE (Momordica)

Tender annual climbers bearing ornamental fruits of various colors. They grow 10 to 12 feet high, have light green foliage and rather large leaves and are very graceful.

440 BALSAM APPLE. Like Balsam Pear, with smaller foliage and smaller fruits, very nearly round. Green striped when young, later becoming scarlet. Pkt. 10c

441 BALSAM PEAR. Fruit oblong, pointed and warted, first green afterward changing to bright red. When fully ripe, it bursts open exposing the seed. Largely used for putting in alcohol or whiskey, also as a poultice or for cuts, bruises and wounds.

Pkt. 10c

#### BUSH BALSAM

These bush type Balsams are carried at the tips of the stems rather than on the side, making a show of color rather than of foliage. Height 8 to 10 inches.

442 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 20c BACHELOR'S BUTTON. See Centaurea.

## BALSAM (Lady's Slipper)

An old-fashioned flower which bears flowers of various shades: white, pink, red, yellow, purple, etc., some of which are beautifully striped and spotted. Hardy annual.

443 DOUBLE MIXED. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 30c

## BARTONIA (Blazing Star or Gold Star)

444 AUREA. A free-blooming and showy hardy annual with large yellow flowers. The foliage is gray and thistle-like and is exceedingly brilliant in the sunshine. Thrives in a sunny situation, even in poor soil. Does not transplant well. Height 18 inches.

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 25c

## **BEGONIA Everblooming Bedding** Varieties

The small, bright flowers are borne in great profusion from summer to autumn. Spring seedlings bloom in summer while summer seedlings make fine house plants for the winter.

445 CHRISTMAS CHEER. Everblooming. Enormous, rich bright cherry-red flowers,

often 2 inches in diameter. Pkt. 35c **446 CARMEN.** The original bronze-leaved Begonia. Bright rose-pink flowers.

Pkt. 35c

447 WHITE PEARL. Clear glistening Pkt. 35c

448 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 35c

# BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy)

449 IBERIDIFOLIA. One of the daintiest and most charming little annual flowers imaginable, easy to grow in any soil. The flowers are borne on graceful stems well above the delicate, finely laciniated foliage. They are ideal for low beds and borders, as the plants grow to a height of only 8 to 10 inches. Mixed. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

## CALENDULA (Pot Marigold)

Daisy-like flowers. Sow outdoors in spring, or earlier indoors and transplant. Grow under glass in winter. 2 ft.

450 PACIFIC BEAUTY, APRICOT. Apri-Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 50c cot: two-tone.

451 PACIFIC BEAUTY, CREAM. Creamwhite shading. Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 50c

452 PACIFIC BEAUTY, LEMON. Pure Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 50c lemon-vellow.

453 PACIFIC BEAUTY, PERSIMMON. Persimmon-orange. Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 50c

454 PACIFIC BEAUTY, MIXED. Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 50c

#### **GAY CALLIOPSIS**

One of the best annuals for beds or borders, producing graceful flowers on long stems. They commence blooming early and continue until early fall. Seeds are usually sown outdoors where they are to bloom but can be sown inside and transplanted.

456 GOLD CREST. Rich golden yellow with a reddish brown zone. Flowers are 2½ to 3 inches across and are semi-double. Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 25c

457 DWARF VARIETIES, Mixed. Valuable for small mixed beds and borders.

Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 25c 458 TALL MIXED. Many varieties and a great range of colors. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 25c PERENNIAL COREOPSIS. See page 44.

## CANTERBURY BELLS

Bring Spring to the Garden in September

Annual Canterbury Bells will flower in less than six months from seed, will grow 21/2 feet tall, producing six to eight flowering spikes to the plant.

459 MIXED COLORS.

Pkt. 15c

#### CANDYTUFT FOR MASS PLANTING

Showy branching plant, fine for edging, bedding, massing, rock gardens or cutting. For early blooms, sow seed inside in March, making successive sowings outdoors any time from May to July. They thrive in rich soil and should be watered freely.

460 GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED or IMPROVED EMPRESS. A wonderfully improved strain of the popular Empress Candytuft, forming much-branched plants about 18 inches high. Makes an effective white border and is invaluable for cutting. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 25c; oz. 75c

Umbellata Type

Umbellata sorts grow about 1 foot high, with flowers in umbrella form.

461 FINEST MIXED. Comprising all colors and shades. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 25c; 0z. 75c PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT. See Iberis, page 45.

#### CARDINAL CLIMBER

462 Rapid grower with branching habit; cardinal-red flower clusters all summer. Height 15 to 25 feet. Pkt. 15c

#### CARNATION

463 ENFANT DE NICE MIXTURE. The plants are of robust, upright habit, with long, strong stalks bearing flowers 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. About 90 percent of the plants come double. Pkt. 25c

464 MARGUERITE. A very early sort which sometimes blooms in four months from sowing. Flowers are large, double, deeply fringed, very fragrant. Plants semi-dwarf. Finest mixed colors. Pkt. 25c

## CELOSIA CRISTATA NANA (Cockscomb)

A free bloomer growing best in rather light. not too rich soil. Sow seeds indoors in early spring and plant outdoors in May, or sow seed outdoors in May.

465 GLASGOW PRIZE. Dwarf crimson.

# CELOSIA CHILDSI

(Chinese Woolflower)

466 MIXTURE. A distinct type with large, roundish head and drooping spikelets of flowers which look like an immense ball of wool. All colors. Very showy. Pkt. 15c

## CELOSIA PLUMOSA, Heatherdell

An early-flowering, dwarf, compact Celosia forming bushy plants 12 to 15 inches

467 EXHIBITION MIXTURE. Many fine new shades. Pkt. 15c

#### CENTAUREA

Sow outdoors in April and thin plants to stand 10 inches apart, or sow seed from September to November for early bloom the following spring.

#### Double-Flowering Varieties 2 ft.

468 BLUE BOY. Blue. 469 BLACK BOY. Blackish maroon.

470 PINKIE. Deep pink. 471 RED BOY. Deep red.

472 SNOW MAN. White.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 30c; oz. 90c

473 DOUBLE MIXED.

Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 30c; oz. 80c

#### Dwarf Varieties 1 ft.

474 JUBILEE GEM. A dwarf variety of Cornflower making a compact plant literally covered with flowers. It has distinct foliage forming a tufted mass of vivid green, contrasting well with the dark but vivid double blue flowers. Height about 12 inches. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 25c

475 POLAR GEM. Dwarf double, white. Height 1 foot; same habit as Jubilee Gem.

Pkt. 15c 476 DWARF ROSE GEM. A pink Jubilee Gem with the same dwarf habit. Very free blooming. Height 12 inches. Pkt. 15c

477 JUBILEE, MIXED. Plants 1 foot high.
Same habit as the well-known Jubilee Gem. Forms low bushes, with a blossom terminating every stem and branch. Self-seeding in most localities; does well from fall-sown Pkt. 15c seed.

Imperialis (Royal Sweet Sultan) 478 FINEST MIXED. A wonderful annual for cutting. Long-stemmed, fringed and fragrant. May until frost. Height 2 to 3 feet. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 40c

White-Leaved (Dusty Miller)

479 CANDIDISSIMA. Thick, silvery white leaves; sow early. Height 10 inches. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 50c

#### CLARKIA

This pretty and easily grown annual has been much improved in recent years. Plants do well in either sun or shade, growing 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high, with leafy racemes of double flowers, which all open in water when cut. 481 ELEGANS DOUBLE MIXED.

Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 50c 482 SALMON BOUQUET. Retains erect habit throughout its growth. Ideal for the

open border or pot culture. Pkt. 20c 483 LADY SATIN ROSE. Double flowers in an exquisite shade of deep satin-rose.

Height 2 feet. Pkt. 20c 484 ROYAL BOUQUET. An excellent mixture of this new type of Clarkia. Large flowers and erect, compact habit. Mixed. flowers and erect, compact habit. Mixed. Pkt. 20c

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM

480 RAINBOW MIXTURE. Pkt. 15c

CLEOME (Spider-Plant)

485 PINK QUEEN. Huge trusses of bright salmon-pink flowers. About 4 feet tall. Easily grown. Pkt. 15c 486 HELEN CAMPBELL. A tall, vigorous,

light-stemmed companion to Pink Queen. Has the same vigor, height and free-flowering characteristics, and in addition pure white color and light green stems. Pkt. 20c

487 GOLDEN. An airy, filigree bloom of golden orange. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. An unusual Cleome coloring and a strikingly decorative plant. Pkt. 20c decorative plant.

#### COLEUS (Flame Nettle)

Fine colored, tender perennial foliage plant for house or garden. Sow indoors in March. 488 FINEST MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 35c

#### CYPRESS VINE

A beautiful, rapid-growing climber with delicately cut, vivid green foliage and starlike flowers, which make a most effective contrast with the leaves. About 15 feet high 502 MIXED. Scarlet and white. Pkt. 15c COLUMBINE. See Aquilegia, page 43.

## COSMOS FOR EARLY AUTUMN COLOR

Graceful autumn flowers, fine for cutting and extremely showy in the garden. They do best in rather poor soil.

#### Extra Early Sensation

The flowers of this strain are mammoth in size, 4 to 5 inches in diameter, early blooming in ten weeks from the time of seeding.

489 DAZZLER. Crimson.

Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 35c 490 PINKIE. Clear rose-pink.

Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 35c 491 PURITY. Pure white, yellow center. Pkt. 15c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)oz. 35c

492 RADIANCE. Striking deep rose and rich crimson. Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 35c 493 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 35c

Tall Late Mammoth Flowering 494 GIANT MIXED. Comprises all shades.

# Early Double Sensation Cosmos

These new Double Cosmos are extra early flowering and have the mammoth Sensation type of flower, averaging 4 to 5 inches in diameter. The plants grow about 38 inches tall, with 15-inch stems for cutting. Continues blooming over a very long period.

495 PINK LADY.

496 WHITE CLOUD. A beautiful soft white, especially recommended for florists, producing approximately 60 percent double.

Pkt. 20c MIXED 497 DOUBLE SENSATION. COLORS. Pkt. 20c

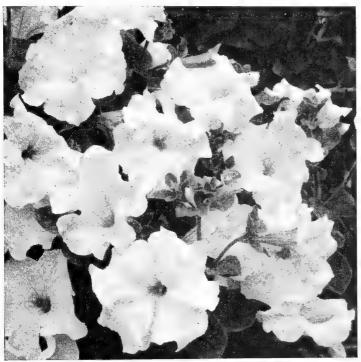
498 EARLY ORANGE FLARE. Orange flowers. The stems are long and wiry, well adapted for cutting. Height 2½ feet. Pkt. 10c; ¼oz. 35c

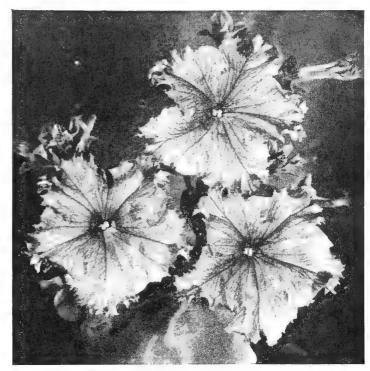
499 YELLOW FLARE. Bright clear yellow. About  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, on 3-foot stems. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 35c

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 30c

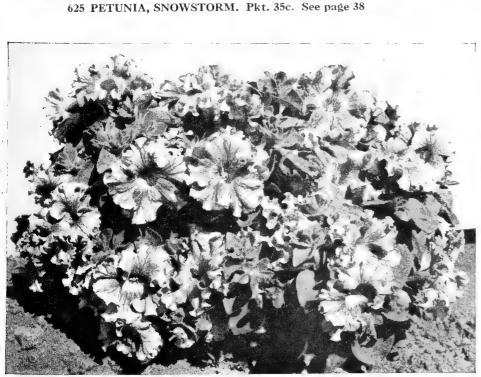
# Petunias EVERYONE'S FAVORITE

There is nothing fussy or pretentious about Petunias. They are among the most commonly grown of all annuals, but they come in such a very wide range of form and color that the home gardener is afforded many opportunities to use them. They are very popular for window boxes, beds and borders. See page 38 for our full list of Petunias.

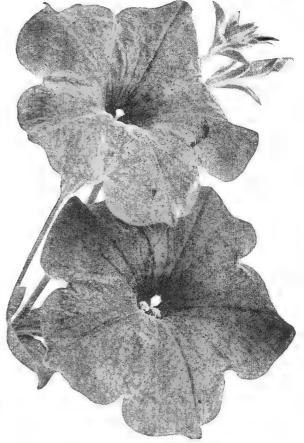




1505 PETUNIA, BALLERINA. Pkt. 50c. See page 24



632 PETUNIA, DWARF GIANTS. Pkt. 50c. See page 38



627 PETUNIA, ELK'S PRIDE Pkt. 25c. See page 38

694 SCABIOSA (Pincushion Flower)
GIANT HYBRIDS
Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 30c; oz. 90c. See page 41

As a quick introduction to flower growing, nothing is better than annuals. They are easy to raise from seed, and best of all they give fast results. The child who expects flowers the next day after sowing the seed and the summer cottager who needs bloom for only a short season are alike grateful for annuals.

# Annuals GIVE YOU CUT FLOWERS ALL SUMMER



673 SHIRLEY POPPIES Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 65c See page 37



Annuals may be grown in formal or informal gardens, in rock gardens, among shrubs and perennials or in window boxes. They offer unlimited opportunity for immediate landscape effects, in addition to providing quantities of flowers for cutting. The fact that their life is short permits growing them in variety without a strain on the pocketbook.



557 MARIGOLD, MAMMOTH MUM. Pkt. 15c See page 36



581 MARIGOLD, RED HEAD. Pkt. 15c See page 36



FIVE Easy to Grow ANNUALS

For Color All Summer

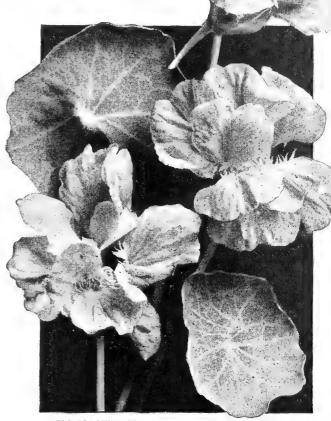
730 VERBENA, BEAUTY OF OXFORD Pkt. 15c See page 41



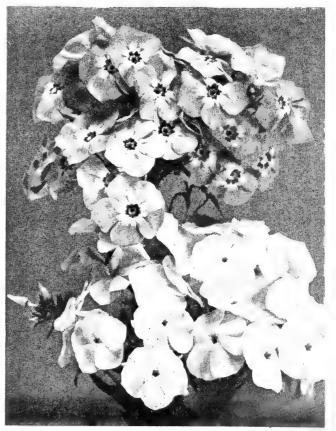
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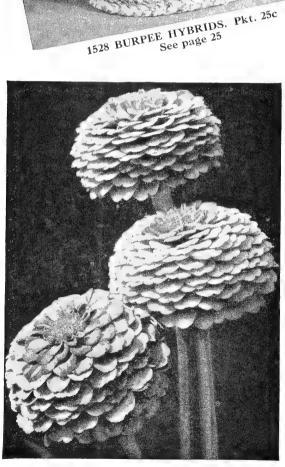
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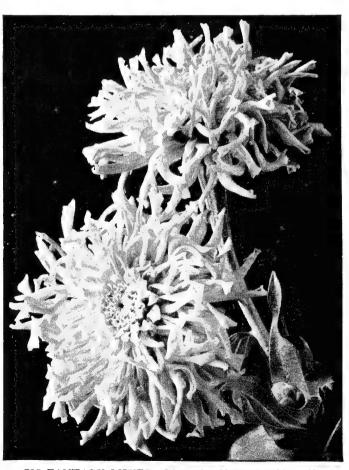
# The Most Popular Of All The ANNUALS



DAHLIA-FLOWERED, CRIMSON MONARCH and GOLDEN DAWN. Pkt. 15c. See page 42



786 LILLIPUT, PASTEL MIXTURE Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 25c. See page 42



795 FANTASY MIXED. Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 35c; ½0z. 60c See page 42

## **CYNOGLOSSUM** (Chinese Forget-Me-Not)

500 FIRMAMENT. As easy to grow as any hardy annual. Compact and free flowering. Flowers resemble forget-me-nots and are bright indigo-blue in color. Height 1 to 1½ feet.

Pkt. 15c 1 to 1½ feet. Pkt. 15c 501 PINK. Growth and flowering habit like

Firmament. Most effective when planted solid in beds, or as a background for white alyssum. Pkt. 15c

# **DIDISCUS** (Blue Lace Flower)

511 COERULEUS. Superb for cut flowers. The long stems terminate in flat clusters of delicate blue flowers not unlike Queen Anne's Lace. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 25c

# DIMORPHOTHECA (African Golden Daisy)

2 to 3 inches across. Sow seed broadcast in a sunny situation.

512 AURANTIACA. Golden orange, with dark center. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 35c 513 MIXED COLORS. Mixture of white, yellow, salmon and orange. Pkt. 10c

#### DAHLIAS FROM SEED

While Dahlias are usually grown from roots and cuttings, fine flowers can be produced in one season from seed if it is sown early indoors and the plants set out when the ground is warm.

503 DOUBLE MIXED. Special strain of large-flowered Dahlias. Pkt. 40c 504 UNWIN'S DWARF HYBRIDS. This is a beautiful strain bearing semi-double flowers with an excellent range of color. From seed sown in the spring, plants begin flowering in the summer and improve until killed by frost. They grow 2 to 3 feet tall and bloom freely. Tubers are produced and bloom freely. which can be saved for the next year. They make good pot plants when pinched Pkt. 25c back.

## DIANTHUS (Annual Garden Pinks)

Every garden should include some Pinks because they are so easily grown and make such a wonderful display. The plants are covered with sweet-scented bloom all summer. The plants are Grows about 1 foot high.

505 FIREBALL. An extra double, brilliant dark red, old-fashioned, fragrant Pink.

506 GAIETY. Large, single, fringed flowers in a wide range of lovely colors. Pkt. 15c 507 BRILLIANT. A huge single bedding strain. A plain-edged companion to the famous Gaiety, with even richer colorings. Each flower is of heavy substance, with contrasting "pheasant's eye." Pkt. 15c 508 SWEET WIVELSFIELD. This hybrid

is quite distinct in flower and height of growth from the annual sweet william. It has a great variety of color and a long sea-

son of bloom. Pkt. 10c 509 HEDDEWIGI (Single Pink). A splendid mixture of single flowers of bright shades, brilliantly marked. Very free Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 50c flowering

510 HEDDEWIGI, FL-PL. (Double Pink). Very double, with deep fringed petals. Colors vary, spotted and striped.

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 50c PERENNIAL DIANTHUS. See page 45.

## **ESCHSCHOLTZIA** (California Poppy)

Easily grown sown where they are to grow. 514 SPREADING VARIETIES. Single mixed. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 35c

515 ERECT VARIETIES. Single mixed. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 35c

516 EUPHORBIA variegata (Snow-on-the Mountain). Elegant, bushy plants, with broad green leaves, veined and margined with white. Attractive foliage. Height 2 feet. Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 45c

517 FEVERFEW Mixed (Matricaria). Hardy annual; free flowering. For bedding or pot culture. Showy double white and yellow flowers. Height 18 inches.

Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 45c

## FOUR O'CLOCK (Marvel of Peru)

Old-fashioned flowers borne on erect, bushy plants 2 to 3 feet high. Flowers are large and tube-shaped; they open in the afternoon, remain open all night and close again in the morning. Hardy annual.

518 MIXED. Comprises all shades.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c FORGET-ME-NOT. See Myosotis, pages 37 and 45.

FOXGLOVE. See Digitalis, page 45.

## **GAILLARDIA** (Blanket-Flower)

One of the most profuse-blooming annuals in the flower garden. Excellent for cutting as well as for beds and borders. Blooms continually from early summer until frost. Grows best in full sunlight. Height 12 to 15 inches.

Single; brilliant Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 50c 519 INDIAN CHIEF. bronzy red. 520 DOUBLE MIXED. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 50c 521 SINGLE MIXED. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 50c PERENNIAL GAILLARDIA. See page 45.

GLOBE AMARANTH (Gomphrena). An everlasting with beautiful flowers resembling clover-heads. They retain their color and are lovely in winter bouquets

522 Mixed Colors.

Attractive, GODETIA (Satin-Flower). hardy annuals deserving more extensive cultivation, especially in the cooler parts of the country. The plants bloom profusely and bear showy flowers not unlike an azalea, of satiny texture, in many rich and varied colors. They do best in a rather poor soil. Height 1 foot.

523 Dwarf Single Exquisite Mixed.

Pkt. 10c

SEEDS OF CURIOUS and ORNAMENTAL GOURDS. Interesting in the Garden-Decorative in the House. Annual climbers suitable for sowing around arbors, trellises and fences. Large-fruited Gourds are used as dippers, bird houses, etc., and the smallfruited varieties are enormously popular for table decorations. The seeds are usually sown in the open ground in May. When very large fruits are desired, only two or three should be left on each plant. The branches should then be cut a few leaves beyond the last fruit. Do not let vines suffer for lack of water.

524 Small-Fruited Gourds, Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c 525 Large-Fruited Gourds, Mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c

# **GYPSOPHILA** (Baby's-Breath)

Quick-growing, producing great numbers of small flowers in loose, graceful sprays. Blooms quickly from seed. Liberal sowings should be made every three weeks from April to July to cut continuously. For early spring flowers sow the previous autumn.

526 ELEGANS ALBA (New York Market). A grand improvement. Flowers large, pure white. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 60c

527 ELEGANS, DELICATE PINK. Pretty blush-pink form of the above and equally valuable for cutting.

Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 40c; oz. 70c PERENNIAL GYPSOPHILA. See page 45.

HELICHRYSUM (Strawflower). For Winter Bouquets. Easy culture; one of our best everlasting flowers. Height 2 feet.

528 Double Mixed. Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 50c 529 HELIOTROPE, Large-Flowered Hybrids. A mammoth-flowering variety having enormous quantities of flowers and trusses sometimes measuring 10 to 12 inches across. Very fragrant. Colors vary from pure white through the various shades Pkt. 15c of blue and purple to indigo.

530 HUNNEMANNIA, Sunlite (Santa Barbara Poppy; Yellow Tulip Poppy; Bush Eschscholtzia). A double-flowered Poppy that is different. Its extra band of petals is produced on the outside rather than the inside of the tulip-shaped flowers. Likes a sunny position in well-drained soil; flowers in late summer. Height 2 feet. Pkt. 10c

HYACINTH BEAN (Dolichos Lablab). A beautiful tender annual bearing large clusters of purple and white flowers, which are followed by ornamental purple seed pods. Height 15 to 20 feet.

531 Mixed Colors. Pkt. 10c

\*532 ICE-PLANT (Mesembryanthemum). Valuable for hanging baskets, rock work, vases and window boxes. A curious-looking plant with leaves and stems appearing to be covered with ice crystals. A tender trailing annual growing about 6 inches high; the vines will extend 2 feet. Pkt. 10c

533 KOCHIA Childsi (Mexican Fire Bush). A quick-growing foliage or hedge plant of symmetrical, globe shape about 3 feet high. The finely cut, clear green foliage is cypress-like in appearance. Early in the fall it is covered with innumerable little flowers that cause the plant to take on a reddish tinge.

Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c

LANTANA. Start seed indoors early.

534 Dwarf Bedding Hybrids. Fine for bedding and pot culture. Will bloom freely all summer. Pkt. 15c; ¼oz. 65c

LINUM OR PERENNIAL FLAX. See page

LINARIA (Baby Snapdragons) Bright-colored, snapdragon-like flowers. The very compact plants are not more than 8 inches high and bear flowers of many distinct colors such as rose, yellow, pink, lavender, carmine, red, violet, white and salmon. Excellent for bedding or for pots. Will do better when sown in boxes and planted out.

551A Fairy Bouquet. All colors mixed. Pkt. 15c; 1/8oz. 40c 552A Northern Lights. Clear bright colors with yellow lip characterize this new strain of the Baby Snapdragon. Bushy but erect plants 15 inches high, best grown from broadcast seed. Blooms very quickly from seed when spring sown. Very effective when

broadcast among spring-flowering bulbs. Pkt. 20c

# LARKSPUR (Annual Delphinium)

Tall, showy plants that bloom freely during the summer months. They are very gay and especially useful for massed bedding and cutting. Blooms quickly from seed.

#### Giant Imperial Larkspur

A new type of annual Larkspur, developed in California. Ideal for cut flowers, as the stems, 3 to 4 feet long, branch from the base of the plant.

535 BLUE BELL. Shades of light blue.

536 BLUE SPIRE. Violet-purple.

537 BRILLIANT ROSE. Salmon-rose suffused carmine.

538 CARMINE KING IMPROVED. Deep carmine-rose.

**539 EXQUISITE PINK IMPROVED.** Soft pink shaded salmon.

**540 GLORIA IMPROVED.** A rich tone of deep rose with no trace of carmine.

541 LILAC KING. Clear lilac.

542 LOS ANGELES IMPROVED. Brilliant rose on salmon.

543 ROSALIND. Rose suffused salmon.

544 SWEET LAVENDER. Rich lavender.

545 WHITE KING. Pure white. Early.

Any of above: Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50

**546 IMPERIAL MIXTURE.** Mixture of above named varieties.

Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50

2546 One pkt. each of Blue Spire, Carmine King, Sweet Lavender, Exquisite Pink, and White King. 5 pkts. 60c

PERENNIAL LARKSPUR. See Delphinium, page 44.

Regal Larkspur

A new type of florist's Larkspur of the same height and compact basal branching habit as the Giant Imperial strain but featuring a very long spike of well-spaced florets as large as those of delphiniums. Very vigorous and quite early flowering.

547 Regal Dark Blue

548 Regal Pink

549 Regal Rose

550 Regal White

551 Regal Lilac

552 Regal Salmon-Rose

553 Regal Light Blue

554 Regal Mixed Each, pkt. 20c

553A LOBELIA, Crystal Palace Compacta. Rich deep blue; dark foliage. Height 4 to 6 inches. Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 60c

LUPINS. A new and greatly improved strain of annual Lupins growing 3 to 4 feet high.

555 Hartwegii, Giant King. Mixed colors.
Pkt. 15c

556 Pixie Delight. A gay little dwarf annual Lupin in a mixture of pleasing shades of pink, rose, blue, lavender and white as well as bicolor combinations. Starts flowering freely a few weeks after the seed is sown outdoors. Useful for borders, bedding or pot plants. 8 inches tall. Pkt. 20c

PERENNIAL LUPINS. See page 45.

# MARIGOLDS FOR COLOR in Late Summer and Autumn

#### Giant-Flowered African Marigolds

557 MAMMOTH MUM. A chrysanthemum-flowered Marigold blooming in 2½ months from seed. Flowers 3½ inches and more across and 2 inches deep, sulphuryellow. Height 30 inches. Pkt. 15c

558 REAL GOLD. Large blooms 4½ inches and more across; very deep, very double, golden orange illumined with yellow. Plants grow 20 to 25 inches tall. Ideal for bedding.

Pkt. 15c

560 GUINEA GOLD. Pyramidal habit, growing 2 to 2½ feet high and producing 30 to 40 flowers, 2 to 2½ inches across, of a brilliant shade of orange flushed with gold. Semi-double. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 30c

561 YELLOW SUPREME. Double, creamy lemon-yellow, carnation-flowered variety with blooms a little larger than those of Guinea Gold. Plants 2 to 3 feet tall, without the usual odor, and free blooming. Very useful for cutting.

Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz. 35c

562 VICTORY. A carnation-flowered Marigold of a charming light golden or yellowish orange color. Flowers are 3 to 3½ inches across; stems up to 18 inches in length. 2 feet tall.

Pkt. 15c

563 BURPEE'S GOLD. Odorless foliage; deep orange flowers. Petals loosely arranged in carnation form. Branching plant 2½ feet tall. Pkt. 10c; 1/8 oz 35c

564 GOLDEN BEDDER. Very early, dwarf African variety with chrysanthemum-like flowers of rich golden orange. Height 15 inches. Pkt. 15c

565 ORANGE ALL-DOUBLE. An excellent strain producing flowers 100 per cent double. Blooms are well rounded and of a rich orange color. Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 90c

566 LEMON ALL-DOUBLE. Same habit as the above variety but the flowers are clear lemon-yellow. Fine for cutting. Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 90c

567 AFRICAN DOUBLE MIXED. Comprises various shades. Adapted for large beds or mixed borders. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 35c

#### Giant-Flowered Marigolds

568 SUNSET GIANTS. 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Free flowering and lacking the usual odor. Colors ranging from deep orange to light lemon-yellow. Height 3½ to 4 feet. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 40c

569 ORANGE SUNSET. Produces very large, loosely formed, full-centered flowers of a deep, rich, lively orange. Size of flower and character of growth same as Sunset Giants.

Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 40c

570 FRILLS. Tightly packed, definitely ruffled and frilled, this Marigold is a good companion to Real Gold. Golden flowers 3½ inches across on 2-foot plants. Odorless foliage. Pkt. 20c

#### Dwarf Double French Varieties

This class of Marigolds will form dense bushes not over 12 inches high. Unequaled for borders or in beds.

571 ELDORADO. A pleasing canary-yellow, tinted slightly deeper toward the center. Fine for borders and edging. The 1½-inch flowers, closely set on well-rounded, dwarf plants, maintain their form throughout a long blooming season.

572 FRENCH GOLD LACED. Rich oxblood or mahogany-carmine with picotee edge of pure golden yellow, giving a honeycomb effect. Compact, bushy plants covered with double, globular flowers on sturdy, 9-inch stems.

**573 GOLDEN HARMONY.** Scabiosaflowered type of solid golden yellow.

574 HARMONY. Scabiosa-like in formation, with tubular, deep orange center petals flanked by broad, velvety, dark maroon-brown guard petals. Will bloom very early.

575 SPRY. Nine inches high and spreading 15 inches. Flowers 1½ inches across, double, with a bright clear yellow crested center surrounded by several rows of mahogany-red guard petals.

576 SCARLET GLOW. Scarlet turning to tangerine.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 45c

577 DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH MIXED. All shades; very double. Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 45c

578 LITTLE GIANTS. A fine mixture of dwarf African type Marigolds. Fine for borders and bedding. Mixed. Pkt. 15c

#### Single French Marigolds

\*579 FLASH. Earliest of all Marigolds. Colors range from vivid red through bronze and tangerine. Single flowers 1% inches and more across. Plants 18 inches tall.

Pkt. 15c; ½80z. 35c

\*580 NAUGHTY MARIETTA. Large flowers 2 to 2½ inches in diameter. Plants 12 inches tall and 16 inches across. Golden yellow marked with mahogany.

Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 50c

\*581 RED HEAD. Flowers 2 inches across, opening rich mahogany. Plants 15 inches high and 20 inches across. Pkt. 15c

582 SPANISH FLAG MIXED. A blend of dwarf, free-flowering single Marigolds, including reds, yellows and bicolors. Ideal for border and rock garden. Pkt. 15c

## Marigold, Dwarf Gigantea

\*583 BUTTERBALL. Clear yellow. Very dwarf; early and continuous flowering.
Pkt. 15c

\*584 SUNKIST. Orange. Dwarf, compact, very early, long blooming. Pkt. 15c

MIGNONETTE (Reseda). Its sweet, delicate fragrance makes this a favorite annual in every garden. Sow in May in the borders or any sunny spot where plants are to remain.

585 Large-Flowering Sorts. Special mixture of many shades. Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 40c

#### MOONFLOWERS

These beautiful climbers grow rapidly. Soaking the seed in warm water for twentyfour hours is beneficial.

586 SKY BLUE. Large, sky-blue flowers. Blooms late September and October.

587 GIANT WHITE. White flowers, opening in the evening and remaining open during cloudy days. Pkt. 10c

#### MORNING-GLORIES

The well-known and popular hardy annual climbers which produce large trumpet-like flowers of many brilliant colors. Seed is sown where they are to bloom, thinning as may be desired. Height 10 to 15 feet.

588 HEAVENLY BLUE. Bright sky-blue.

Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 30c 589 SCARLETT O'HARA. Dark wine-red. Pkt. 10c; ¼oz. 50c 590 PEARLY GATES. White with creamy

shading deep down in the throat.

Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 50c
591 RED, WHITE and BLUE MIXTURE. A mixture of the above three named va-Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 45c

592 BLUE STAR. Sky-blue with deeper colored midrib forming an attractive star. Pkt. 15c

593 DARLING. Brilliant rose-cerise with pure white throat making an attractive contrast. Large, 4-inch flowers. Pkt. 15c

## **MYOSOTIS** (Forget-Me-Not)

Cultural directions same as Pansies. 594 ALPESTRIS, INDIGO COMPACTA. Very early, bright blue. Compact habit.

Pkt. 15c 595 ALPESTRIS ROSEA. Deep rosecolored Forget-Me-Not. Pkt. 15c

#### DOUBLE NASTURTIUMS

Nasturtiums will grow well on soils incapable of supporting many other plants and are most useful on dry, sandy or gravelly banks. In very dry seasons the tall sorts have a tendency not to run on poor soil, and if a trellis is to be covered quickly the plants should be encouraged by watering in the early stages of growth. In wet seasons the dwarfs are likely to run and to produce more leaves than flowers; they should therefore, be sown on as poor a soil as possible.

Double Sweet-Scented 596 GOLDEN GLEAM. Golden yellow. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c 597 SCARLET GLEAM. Fiery scarlet. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c 598 GLEAM HYBRIDS. All colors. Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c

Dwarf Double Gem Varieties 599 GOLDEN GLOBE. Golden yellow flowers; very compact. Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c 600 SCARLET GLOBE. Fiery scarlet. Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c 601 DWARF DOUBLE GEM MIXTURE. Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c

Single Dwarf Nasturtiums 602 DWARF MIXED. Height 1 foot. All varieties and shades. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. \$1.00

Single Tall Nasturtiums 603 TALL MIXED. All varieties and Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4lb. \$1.00 shades.

604 NEMOPHILA insignis (California Bluebell; Baby Blue Eyes). Splendid trailing annual, 6 inches high. Fine for edging borders or rock gardens. Cup-shaped, sky-blue flowers from late spring until frost.

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 35c

#### NICOTIANA

One of the easiest annuals to raise and one of the most effective. In shape the flowers are not unlike a petunia, but with a longer tube. They open toward evening and emit a powerful perfume.

605 CRIMSON BEDDER. Rich deep carmine. Plants are of dwarf, pyramidal habit not over 15 to 18 inches in height. Pkt. 10c

606 AFFINIS. Large, pure white, sweet-scented, star-shaped flowers 3 inches across blooming continually. Height 2 to 3 feet.

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 35c 607 AFFINIS HYBRIDS. Splendid mixture of blue, red and rose shades.

Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 35c 608 DAYLIGHT. White blooms remaining fully open during the most brilliant sunshine. The plants are of bushy habit, reaching a height of 1½ to 2 feet and about the same across. Pkt. 15c

609 SENSATION MIXED. Approximately 1½ to 2 feet in height, of bushy habit and remaining open all day, even in brilliant sunshine.

610 NIGELLA, Miss Jekyll (Love-in-a-Mist). An abundance of long-stemmed flowers of a clear cornflower-blue. Height
Pkt. 10c

#### GIANT PANSIES

This popular annual is so well known that it needs little description. Pansies are easily grown and bloom profusely for many months. Sow the seed indoors early in March or outdoors as early as the ground can be prepared. If sown in August and wintered over in a coldframe, the plants will begin blooming very early the following spring and continue their showy display throughout the summer.

611 ENGELMANN'S GIANTS. Dark and light shades. Huge flowers, very compact and early. Pkt. 60c

612 SWISS BLUE (Ullswater Blue). A solid blue flower with blue-black blotches.

Pkt. 50c 613 SWISS GIANTS. The seed we offer will produce flowers of gigantic size, perfectly round, in many new color combina-

tions and shades. Blooms early. Pkt. 50c 614 PAY DIRT. The largest golden yellow Pansy ever produced. Flowers have dark rays or tiny faces. Fine growth habit and Pkt. 75c more heat resistant.

615 RASPBERRY ROSE. Beautiful new color in Pansies-deep raspberry. Good habit of growth and more heat resistant.

616 SCOTTISH EXHIBITION MIXED. Four-inch flowers of perfect form and substance. Varied colors, heavily blotched. Petals overlapping. Pkt. 60c

617 CHOICE BEDDING MIXED. A complete range of colors. Blossoms\_slightly Pkt. 25c smaller than the giant types.

618 MAPLE LEAF GIANT MIXTURE. Quite different from other types. leaves are of giant size and the flowers are up to 4 inches across under good cultivation. Both light and dark shades. Pkt. 60c

619 STEELE'S BUTTERFLY PANSY MIXED. A select strain containing a wide range of color. Pkt. 60c

TUFTED PANSIES. See Viola, page 46.

## **BRILLIANT ANNUAL PHLOX** (Flame-Flower)

Quickly grown from seed. For early flowers, sow seed indoors or in a hotbed in March; or sow in open ground from late April until

664 NANA COMPACTA. A dwarf, symmetrical plant covered with bright flowers.

Mixed colors.

Pkt. 15c

#### PHLOX GIGANTEA

Extra large flowers in a wonderful range of colors. Plants 9 inches high.

665 RED GLORY. Brilliant red with white Pkt. 15c eve.

666 ROSY MORN. Rose-pink with white Pkt. 15c

667 SALMON GLORY. Pure salmon-pink with creamy eye. Pkt. 15c

668 ART SHADES. All soft colors, many Pkt. 15c with lighter eye.

\*669 CUSPIDATA MIXED (Star Phlox). Dwarf, star-shaped flowers with laciniated Pkt. 15c

PERENNIAL PHLOX. See page 46.

#### POPPIES for Delicate Tints

Sow seed in the fall or early spring where plants are to bloom, for they are difficult to transplant.

#### **Double Annual Poppies**

670 SWEET BRIAR. A delightful shade of deep rose-pink. The blooms are double, resembling a very large double begonia. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

671 DOUBLE SHIRLEY or BEGONIA-FLOWERED MIXED. Beautiful double, satiny flowers in every conceivable color.
Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 35c

#### Single Annual Poppies

**672 AMERICAN LEGION.** Large flowers of dazzling orange-scarlet. 2 feet. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 65c

673 SINGLE SHIRLEY. Colors range through shades of pink, rose, scarlet, carmine, generally edged with lighter shades. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; oz. 65c

PERENNIAL POPPIES. See page 46.

# PORTULACA (Moss Rose)

Portulacas enjoy the hottest, driest situation and will grow in almost any soil. Foliage is thick and succulent, like that of sedum. and the flowers resemble single and double roses. Sow seed in May when the ground is warm.

#### Large-Flowering Single Varieties

\*674 SINGLE MIXED. Pkt. 10c; \(\frac{1}{8}\)oz. 50c; \(\frac{1}{4}\)oz. 90c; oz. \(\frac{3}{2}\).00

#### Large-Flowering **Double Varieties**

\*675 MIXED COLORS. A wide range of colors.

Pkt. 15c; 1/16oz. 50c; 1/8oz. 75c; 1/4oz. \$1.25 \*676 JEWEL SINGLE. Deep crimson. Larger than any offered before. Pkt. 15c

# McCULLOUGH'S PETUNIAS for All Purposes

Thriving on any soil and in the hottest weather. For a showy bed, or for porch or window boxes, few plants equal the Petunia in effectiveness. Sow the seed in pots or flats in the house or hotbed in February or March, or in the garden as soon as the soil is warm. Cover the seed but slightly, for it is very fine.

#### **Double-Flowering Petunias**

- 620 ALL-DOUBLE COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE. Under good cultivation the huge flowers will measure from 4 to 5 inches across. Color shades from light and salmon-pink to mostly deep pinks and purplish rose. Height 18 inches. Pkt. \$1.00
- 621 ALL-DOUBLE AMERICA. rose-pink, of medium size, 2 inches and 1 foot in height and 18 h. Pkt. 50c more across. inches in width.
- 622 ALL-DOUBLE MIXED. 22 ALL-DOUBLE MIXED. An extra dwarf, giant mixture of Fringed Petunias producing flowers 100 per cent double. Height 12 to 13 inches. Pkt. \$1.00 Pkt. \$1.00
- 623 ALL-DOUBLE MRS. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER. Low, spreading plant habit; profusion of pleasing, soft salmon flowers, 23/4 inches across.
- 624 ALL-DOUBLE ROSE MARIE. Rosepink, fully double, with beautifully ruffled petals. Individual flowers 3 inches or more across. 18 inches tall and 30 inches across. Pkt. \$1.00

#### Large Single-Flowering Varieties

- 625 SNOWSTORM. Extra large, frilled clear white. Flowers average 4 inches in diameter. Plants medium dwarf. Pkt. 35c
- 626 GLAMOUR. Large, salmon-rose flowers with brown veining on white in the throat. Fringed petals, some are plain edged and smaller in size than the usual 4 to 5 inches. Height 15 to 18 inches.
- Pkt. 50c 627 ELK'S PRIDE. Flowers of rich deep Elk's purple, with large lobes forming a five-pointed star. Dwarf. Pkt. 25c Pkt. 25c
- 628 WHITE CLOUD. Pure white. Very dwarf and compact. Pkt. 35c
- 629 BURGUNDY. Large, single flowers of deep burgundy-red enhanced by a rich velvety sheen. Throat white, veined purplish red. 3½ inches across. Pkt. 35c
- 630 PINK SENSATION. Rose-pink with deeper veining that extends well toward the edge of the petals from the white interior of the corolla tube. Flowers 3 to 3½ inches in diameter. Plants very vigorous, about 2 feet tall and as much as 4 feet across. Very compact, producing bloom close to the ground.

  Pkt. 50c
- 631 SILVER MEDAL. All-America Winner. A new hybrid of an entirely new colorrich salmon. A profuse bloomer growing Pkt. (100 seeds) 50c 1 foot tall.

#### Large Single-Flowering Fringed Mixtures

- 632 DWARF GIANTS. (Ramona Strain.) A dwarf, sturdy type, especially suited for pot culture. Ruffled and fringed, with open, well-marked throats. Most desirable red and dark and light shades. Pkt. 50c
- 633 RUFFLED MONSTERS. A half-dwarf type of erect and robust habit. The colors are mostly the desirable red and dark shades, richly marked and veined. Pkt. 50c

#### Miniature Petunias

- A strain of dwarf, compact miniature Petunias, with plants 6 to 9 inches high and about 8 inches wide, smothered with flowers.
- 634 MARTHA WASHINGTON. Frilled blooms about 3 inches in diameter. Neat, compact habit. Color blush-pink veined wine-red; throat dark violet. Pkt. 25c
- 635 RUFFLED LITTLE GIANTS MIXED. Medium-sized, well-ruffled. Colors range from deep crimson to white.

  Pkt. 50c

#### Single Dwarf Bedding Petunias Height 8 to 12 inches

- 645 ADMIRAL. Waved, rich violet-blue flowers on compact plants. Pkt. 35c
- 646 BLUE BEDDER. Mid-blue. Pkt. 15c
- 647 BRIGHT EYES. Dwarf, compact and upright. Flowers 1½ inches across, rosy pink with white toward the throat. Pkt. 15c
- 648 CELESTIAL ROSE. Improvement on Rose of Heaven. More compact in growth and deeper in color; a beautiful rich satiny Pkt. 15c
- Satiny salmon-pink. 649 CHEERFUL. Growth is densely compact, with no tendency whatever to thin out. Pkt. 15c
- 650 ENGLISH VIOLET. All the flowers are the same violet-blue and hold this uniform color. Pkt. 15c
- FIRE CHIEF. See page 27.
- 652 MARS. The deepest crimson and the largest flowered in the bedding Petunia class. Comes true to type and color. Pkt. 15c
- 653 HEAVENLY BLUE. Silvery light blue.
- 654 ROSY MORN IMPROVED. Dwarf, extra select. Soft carmine-pink with white throat. Pkt. 15c; 1/16oz. 40c; 1/8oz. 70c
- 655 ROSE OF HEAVEN IMPROVED. Brilliant crimson-rose.
- Pkt. 15c; 1/16oz. 40c; 1/8oz. 70c 656 SALMON SUPREME. color in bedding Petunias, with clear sal-mon-pink flowers that make an attractive
- Pkt. 25c display. 657 SNOWBALL IMPROVED. This compact white Petunia retains its shape throughout the growing season. Blooms Pkt. 15c
- 658 SINGLE DWARF BEDDING MIXED. Includes all the varieties listed above as well as many others. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 75c

#### **Balcony or Large-Flowered** Petunias

A splendid large and free-flowering type for window boxes, vases, hanging baskets, etc. The flowers average 3 inches across.

- 659 BLACK PRINCE. Rich velvety crimson-red. Pkt. 15c
- 660 BLUE. Velvety indigo-blue. Pkt. 15c 661 ROSE. Brilliant rose-pink. Pkt. 15c
- 662 WHITE. Pure white. Pkt. 15c
- 663 BALCONY MIXED. A mixture of the above varieties. Pkt. 15c

#### Single Bedding Petunias

Height about 12 to 18 inches.

- 636 BLUE BEE. Violet-blue. Pkt. 10c 637 FLAMING VELVET. Brilliant velvety scarlet. Pkt. 15c
- 638 GENERAL DODDS. Velvety blood-red. Pkt. 10c
- 639 HOWARD'S STAR IMPROVED. Velvety purple with a pure white star in the center of the flower. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 60c
- 640 PEACH RED. Unique rich salmoncerise; flowers are plain petaled, of medium Pkt. 15c size, 2 inches or more across.
- 641 RADIANCE. Cerise-rose with enough underlying salmon to remove the harshness; the throat is golden yellow. Blooms are about 2 inches in diameter. Pkt. 15c
- 642 TOPAZ ROSE. Fiery velvety rose that will neither fade nor burn under the hottest sun. The throat is the color of topaz. Very Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 50c fragrant.
- 643 WHITE KING. Pure white. Very free flowering. One of the finest white Petunias.

  Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c

  644 CHOICE SINGLE MIXED. A mixture of moderate-sized flowers; extremely
- free flowering.
  - Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 60c; 1/40z. \$1.00
- 677 RICINUS zanzibarensis Bean). Grows to immense size. Leaves sometimes measure 30 inches across and range in color from bright green to deep bronze. Choice mixed colors.
- Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c 678 RUDBECKIA, Starlight. Semi-double large flowers ranging in color from primrose-yellow to mahogany, some bicolors with mahogany centers. Height 3 feet. Pkt. 20c
- SALPIGLOSSIS (Painted Tongue). Richly colored, funnel-shaped flowers of many shades.
- 679 Dwarf Giant-Flowering. All colors.
- Pkt. 10c \*680 Vesuvius. Violet-purple with a deep 980 Vesuvius. Violet-puiple golden throat edging to silver. Dwarf. Pkt. 15c

# SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)

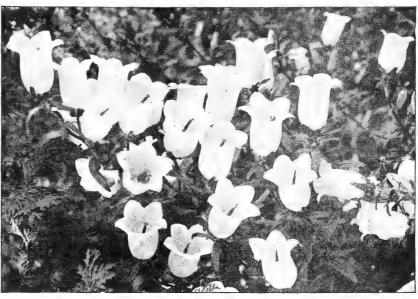
Blooms are borne on long spikes well above the foliage and continue in good condition a long time.

- 681 SPLENDENS. Bright scarlet. Height  $2\frac{1}{4}$  to 3 feet. Pkt. 25c; 1/80z. 75c
- 682 AMERICA or GLOBE OF FIRE. This is the freest and most continuous blooming of all the Scarlet Sages, also the most uniform in habit of growth.
- Pkt. 25c; ½60z. 60c 683 SPLENDENS, ROSE FLAME. Rich brilliant coral-pink, blending well with other colors. Grows uniform and vigorous, 24 inches tall. Blooms early in July if sown in mid-March. Pkt. 25c
- 684 FARINACEA (Blue Bedder). 2½ feet high and the flowers are of a bright midblue. August to October. Pkt. 20c
- 685 LAVENDER LADY. Beautiful new clear lavender shade. Can be treated as a half-hardy annual. Pkt. 25c
- \*686 SANVITALIA procumbens fl.-pl. (Creeping Miniature Zinnia). Flowers much like tiny zinnias, golden yellow with very dark purple centers, some single and others double. The plants are prostrate and creep over the soil instead of growing upward. Bloom from June until frost. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 30c Height 6 inches.



813 AQUILEGIA (Columbine) LONG-SPURRED MIXED Pkt. 25c. See page 43

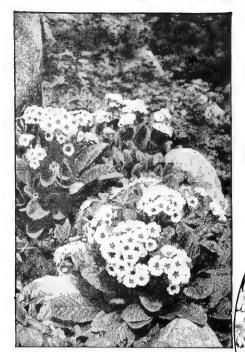
Perennials like those shown here are the mainstay of the flower border in midsummer. The truly regal Delphinium seems to be king of the border. Its stately spires in tones of blue, purple and white are indispensable. If Delphinium culture seems sometimes a little difficult, perhaps we value the blooms all the more when we do have success with growing them. The dainty Columbine in among the most graceful and winsome of cut flowers, being an ideal companion for the queenly Rose in bouquets. Campanulas are popular in the perennial border, where they combine well with Sweet William and Foxgloves.



830 CAMPANULA, SINGLE. Pkt. 10c. See page 44

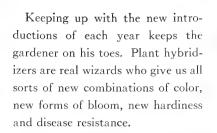


849 DELPHINIUM, BLACKMORE & LANGDON'S STRAIN Pkt. 40c. See page 44



912 POLYANTHUS. GIANT BOUQUET. Pkt. 35c. See page 46

Novelties are carefully tested before being placed on the market. and while not all of them do equally well in every section of the country their superior qualities are well worth investigating. So get acquainted with the new flowers; otherwise you will miss a lot.





810 ANTHEMIS KELWAYI. Pkt. 10c See page 43



Pkt. 15c. See page 45

Raising your own perennial plants from seed is not a difficult task, and is much more economical than buying specimen plants. Besides, it gives the gardener a more personal interest and concern for every one of his perennials and gives him the opportunity to make a better comparison between varieties, as a basis of his choice for the next season.



913 PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM (Painted Daisy). Pkt. 25c. See page 46



837 SHASTA DAISY, CONQUEROR Pkt. 15c; ½80z. 35c. See page 44

To plan and plant a successful perennial border or garden is an accomplishment any gardener can be proud of. A few basic rules are worth following: don't plan too elaborate color combinations; arrange the plants in groups rather than straight lines; avoid single specimens of any kind; have regard for color and season of bloom and height of growth.



858 DIANTHUS, NEW BLUE The Only Blue Sweet William Pkt. 25c. See page 44

SWEET SCABIOSA (Pincushion-Flower; Mourning Bride). Excellent for cutting. Blooms are borne on long stems, are fragrant, double, and somewhat the shape of a pincushion. Seed can be sown in open border and thinned out from 1 to 1½ feet apart. Grows 2 to 2½ feet high.

687 Rosette. Deep rose heavily suffused with salmon. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

688 Giant Loveliness. Soft delicate salmonrose. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 25c

689 Peach Blossom. Peach-blossom-pink. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

690 Shasta. Pure white flowers.

Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

691 Crimson. Rich rosy crimson. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

692 Black Knight. Very dark maroon-red. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c

693 Oxford Blue. A deep rich tone of Campanula-blue. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 30c

694 Giant Hybrids. Comprising many beautiful colors. Height 2½ ft.

Pkt. 10c; 1/40z. 30c; oz. 90c

COLLECTION

2694 One pkt. each of Oxford Blue, Peach Blossom, Crimson, Rosette, Shasta, Loveliness and Black Knight (Value 70c) 7 pkts. 50c

#### **STATICE**

695 Heavenly Blue. An annual, this plant forms dense cushions of bright blue flowers. From 2 to 3 feet tall. Makes a good flower for cutting. Pkt. 25c

#### Stocks, Giants of California

An excellent group which blooms very early. When planted close they grow to a height of 3 feet or more, having only a single central spike with a 15-inch stem of florets.

697 GOLDEN GATE. Yellow.

698 MONTEREY. Pink.

699 PACIFIC. Blue.

700 RED WOODS. Blood-red.

701 SANTA BARBARA. Chamois.

702 SANTA MARIA. White.

703 SEQUOIA. Rose-carmine.

704 TAHOE. Lavender.

705 YOSEMITE. Rose.

706 EXQUISITE MIXED. All colors.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; 1/8oz. 85c

#### **STOCKS**

Cut-and-Come-Again Stocks Early Giant Imperial (Improved Bismarck)

One of the best Stocks for inside and outside planting. The plants grow in pyramidal form, covered with large double flowers.

707 GIANT IMPERIAL MIXED. Pkt. 15c

#### Ten-Weeks' Stocks

Sweet-scented, double flowers on strong spikes. Fine for the garden. 15 to 18 inches tall.

708 FINEST MIXED. All colors.
Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 40c; ½0z. 75c

#### ANNUAL SWEET WILLIAM

Many beautiful colors, some starred and mottled, others with clear white eyes. Plants will flower the first season if the seed is sown early. They will live over winter, however, and last for several years. Height 15 inches. 696 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 10c; ½0Z. 35C SNAPDRAGON. See Antirrhinum, page 28.

## SUNFLOWER (Helianthus)

Bloom early and continue until frost.

709 SUN GOLD. Double Sunflower. Cushion-like blooms, 4 to 5 inches across. Height 5 feet. Pkt. 15c; oz. 60c

710 TALL RED. Flowers star-shaped, of brightest golden yellow, with dark centers. Height 5 to 6 feet. Pkt. 10c

#### SWEET PEAS

Seed should be sown very early in the spring, as soon as the soil can be worked. It should be planted 6 inches deep and covered at first with only 2 inches of soil, the trench being filled as the plants grow. One ounce sows 35 to 40 feet in a row. It is best to soak the seeds for several hours before they are planted. If this plan of planting early is followed, and Sweet Peas are kept mulched or watered abundantly, they will generally give a fine crop of blooms.

#### **Cuthbertson Sweet Peas**

This new development in Sweet Peas has extremely vigorous growth and large, well-waved flowers carried on long, stiff stems. Flowers about 10 days later than early Spencers and about 10 days earlier than late Spencers. They are particularly adapted to sections where early hot weather is a limiting factor to growing good long-stemmed Sweet Peas.

711 CAROL. Clear pink.

712 DANNY. Navy-blue.

713 EVELYN. Salmon, cream-pink.

714 FRANK G. Lavender.

715 HAZEL. Light blue.

716 JENNIE. White; white seeded.

717 JESSIE. Mauve.

718 JIMMY. Bright dazzling scarlet.

719 KATIE. Rose, cream-pink.

720 KENNETH. Crimson.

Each of the above: Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c

721 MIXED. A brilliant, well-balanced blend. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; 1/41b \$2.25

#### 2721 Six Cuthbertson Sweet Peas

6 separate packets of named varieties (Value 90c) 6 pkts. 75c

722 EARLY-FLOWERING MIXED. A splendid mixture containing all colors. Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20

723 BEST SPENCER MIXED. The best varieties in all beautiful shades and colors. A superior mixture. Pkt. 10c; oz. 40c; 1/4lb. \$1.20; lb. \$3.50

724 TAGETES signata pumila, Little Giant (Pigmy Marigold). Slender, fernlike foliage dainty, single, golden orange flowers on plants 4 to 6 inches high, with spread of 8 to 10 inches. Pkt. 10c

#### TAHOKA DAISY

725 One of the best of the blue Daisies for all-summer bloom, mid-June until November. Big blossoms of pure blue-lavender with little golden centers. Flower stems of good length; cutting and lasting qualities excellent.

Pkt. 20c

#### **TITHONIA**

## (Golden Flower of the Incas; Mexican Sunflower)

Tithonia is a rare plant found growing in Peru as early as 1531 and later found in Mexico.

726 FIREBALL. Brilliant, shade of scarletorange, the petals in dazzling contrast to the clear yellow center. Flowers single, 4½ to 5 inches in diameter, long stems. Tall plants, height of 8 or 9 feet, grayish green, woolly foliage. It should be started indoors and the plants set out after danger of frost has passed. Pkt. 15c

TORCH. See page 27.

**TORENIA** (Wishbone-Flower). Snapdragon-like flowers. Bushy plants 1 foot tall.

728 Fournieri. Showy, light blue flowers prettily blotched deeper blue; yellow throat.

THUNBERGIA (Black-Eyed Susan). An attractive climber growing 4 to 6 feet tall, ideal for window boxes, hanging baskets, etc. Flowers 1 inch across, of creamy white, buff and orange with dark brown throats.

729 Mixed. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 45c

#### VERBENA

Can be started in the house and transplanted to the garden when the weather is warm, or sown in the open ground, thinned and transplanted. Height 1 foot.

730 BEAUTY OF OXFORD. Colors shade from rose-pink to rose-red. Pkt. 15c

731 LAVENDER GLORY. True lavender with a medium-sized, creamy white eye.
Pkt. 15c

732 ROYALE. 1¼ inches in diameter.

Deep royal blue with a large creamy yellow eye.

Pkt. 15c

733 SALMON-PINK. Beautiful salmon-pink flowers. Pkt. 15c

734 SPECTRUM RED. An intense red having no eye. Florets are 1½ inches in diameter.

Pkt. 15c

735 WHITE.

Pkt. 15c

735 WHITE. Pkt. 15c 736 MAMMOTH MIXED. A wonderful

range of charming colors in every conceivable shade.

A wonderful range of charming colors in every conceivable shade.

Pkt. 15c

#### COLLECTION

2736 One pkt. each of Royale, Spectrum Red, Salmon-Pink and White. (Value 60c) 4 pkts. 45c.

737 DWARF MIXED. Grows about 6 inches in height. Very erect; good for borders. Mixed colors. Pkt. 20c

VINCA (Periwinkle). Valuable for bedding. Seed should be sown early.

741 Mixed.

#### DWARF VERBENAS

738 SALMON QUEEN. Bushy plant about 8 to 10 inches high and 12 to 15 inches across. Bright salmon-pink with a white eve.

739 STARLIGHT. A bright mid-blue with creamy white eye. Plants are of uniform, bushy habit, about 8 to 10 inches high. Pkt. 20c

## VERBENA VENOSA (Hardy Garden Verbena)

\*740 DELICATE LILAC. Forms erect plants 12 inches high, with delicate lavender flowers produced in such masses as to completely hide the foliage. It is perfectly hardy and does well in beds, borders and may also be used in the rock garden. A perennial treated as an annual, blooming the first year from seed; if sown early will then bloom until frost. Pkt. 20c

VIOLA. See Perennials, page 46.

742 WALLFLOWER, Early Wonder Mixed. If planted in early spring will be in full bloom by early summer. Pkt. 15c

743 McCULLOUGH'S "SURPRISE GAR-DEN" FLOWER SEED. A mixture of annuals, biennials and perennials consisting of sorts growing at moderate heights. No vines, trailers or very tall-growing plants are included.

Large pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4lb. 75c; lb. \$2.50 744 XERANTHEMUM, Double Mixed. (Everlasting Flower.) Bright and pretty everlasting with silvery foliage and silky flowers of pink, white and purple. Pkt. 10c

#### McCULLOUGH'S ZINNIAS FOR EVERY PURPOSE

Few, if any, annuals have greater utility value than the Zinnia. Many distinct types have been developed, some bearing flowers of enormous size and others producing miniature double blooms in profusion. For early flowers sow seed indoors in March and transplant seedlings to the garden in early May, or, if preferred, sow seed in open ground in April. Space the large-flowering and taller sorts from 1½ to 2 feet apart, Pompon or Lilliput types 8 to 12 inches apart.

Pkt. 15c

#### Giant Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias

The flowers are immense, often measuring 5 to 6 inches across and 3 to 4 inches in depth. They are borne profusely from late summer until frost. Plants are 2½ to 3 feet tall, of well-rounded form

745 CANARY BIRD. Primrose. Pkt. 15c 746 CRIMSON MONARCH. Flaming crim-Pkt. 15c son

747 DREAM. Deep lavender, turning to mallow-purple. Pkt. 15c

748 EXQUISITE. Color light rose with center deep Tyrian rose. Pkt. 15c

749 GOLDEN DAWN. Beautiful golden yellow. Pkt. 15c 750 GOLDEN STATE. Yellow in the bud,

turning orange when in full bloom. Pkt. 15c 751 ILLUMINATION. Similar to Exqui-

site, but a striking shade of deep rose. Pkt. 15c

752 LUMINOSA. Deep pink.

753 METEOR. Deep red; the darkest of all the red shades. Pkt. 15c

754 OLD ROSE. Real old rose. Pkt. 15c

755 ORIOLE. An orange and gold bicolor, changing slightly as it ages. Pkt. 15c

756 POLAR BEAR. Pure white. Pkt. 15c 757 PURPLE PRINCE. A fine deep purple.
Pkt. 15c

758 SCARLET FLAME. Bright scarlet, with a delightful blending of orange throughout the petal. This is not a bicolor. Pkt. 15c

759 WILL ROGERS. Very fine deep scarlet-red. Pkt. 15c

Any of the above Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias  $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.75

760 SPECIAL GOLD MEDAL MIXTURE. Mixture containing all the above varieties. Pkt. 15c; ¼oz. 50c; oz. \$1.50

#### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS Giant Dahlia-Flowered Zinnias

2760 One pkt. each of the above 15 separate named varieties. (Value \$2.25.) 15 pkts. \$1.75.

3760 One pkt. each of Crimson Monarch, Dream, Illumination, Golden Dawn, Polar Bear. (Value 75c) 5 pkts. 60c.

761 PASTEL MIXTURE DAHLIA-FLOW-ERED ZINNIAS. Composed solely of delicate colors. Soft shades of lemonyellow, shell-pink, delicate salmon, light rose and orchid.

Pkt. 15c; 1/8oz. 35c; 1/4oz. 60c

#### Zinnia, Crown o' Gold

789 MIXED. The effect is a very pleasing two-tone color harmony. The color range covers the more popular shades-old rose, cream, yellow, carmine, and burnished red. Pkt. 15c

#### California Giant Zinnias

The same robust habit as the Dahlia-Flowered. When the flowers are in full bloom, they reach enormous size, but their flatness gives them a most graceful appear-

762 BRIGHTNESS. Bright deep pink. 763 CHERRY QUEEN. Brilliant cherry-

764 DAFFODIL. Canary-yellow.

765 GRENADIER. Bright dark red.766 LAVENDER QUEEN. Deep lavender

turning to purple.

767 MISS WILLMOTT. Soft pink.

768 ORANGE KING. Orange-scarlet.

769 PURITY. White.

770 ROSE QUEEN. Striking deep rose.

771 SALMON QUEEN. Salmon-rose.

772 VIOLET QUEEN. Deep purple.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 35c; 1/40z. 60c; oz. \$1.75 773 FINEST MIXED. A mixture of the above varieties.

Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 35c; 1/40z. 50c; oz. \$1.50

#### **Harmony Type Zinnias**

The flowers are of medium size and each bears a collar of petals surmounted by a full double crest of the same tone. Height about

787 MIXED. Colors range from pale rose to crimson-scarlet with orange, golden and purple shades. Pkt. 15c

#### Zinnia, Floradale Scarlet

790 A new and distinct Zinnia, very uniform and true to type and color. Flowers are deep scarlet, slightly smaller than Dahliaflowered, with the fluffy but not twisted petals generally called cactus-flowered. Plant 2 to 2½ feet high, with regular Zinnia foliage. Pkt. 20c

#### Lilliput Zinnias

This type of Zinnia forms a bush about 12 to 15 inches high and is covered with small, very double flowers in profusion.

774 CANARY-YELLOW.

775 CRIMSON GEM.

776 DAINTY GEM. Bicolor rose.

777 GOLDEN GEM.

778 LILAC GEM.

779 PINK GEM. Deep pink.

780 PURPLE GEM.

781 ROSEBUD.

782 SALMON-ROSE.

783 SCARLET GEM.

784 WHITE GEM.

Any of the above Lilliput Zinnias: Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 25c; 1/40z. 40c; oz. \$1.20

785 FINEST MIXED. A mixture of the above colors

Pkt. 10c; 1/4oz. 35c; oz. \$1.00 786 PASTEL MIXTURE. Composed solely

of delicate colors not found in the ordinary Lilliput Mixture. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 25c

#### Our Special Offer of Lilliput Zinnias

2785 One pkt. each of Canary-Yellow, Scarlet Gem, White Gem, Salmon-Rose and Purple. (Value 50c) 5 pkts. 40c.

#### **Fantasy Zinnias**

Shaggy, ray-like petals. Plants 2½ to 3 feet in height, will bloom in 45 to 50 days after seed is sown.

791 PINK FRILLS. Soft flesh-pink.

792 STARDUST. Golden yellow.

793 WHITE LIGHT. Pure white.

794 WILDFIRE. Dazzling scarlet.

795 FANTASY MIXED. Includes the brightest shades of red and orange as well as pastel pink and cream.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 35c; ½0z. 60c

796 SUPER FANTASY, DAVID BURPEE MIXED. Very large, with petals attractively curled and quilled. Pastel colors predominate. Plants about 3 feet

797 CUPID MIXED. Dwarf, compact little plants, bearing quantities of button flowers smaller than Lilliput type. For edging and pots.

#### Cactus-Flowered Giants

Petals are quilled, curled and pointed; flowers 4 to 41/2 inches across. 2 inches deep. 788 MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 15c

#### Various Zinnias

798 MEXICANA HYBRIDS. Single and semi-double flowers somewhat like those of the French marigold, in shades of yellow, orange, crimson and brown. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 35c

#### Zinnia Linearis

800 A dwarf, early-flowering form somewhat comparable to Mexicana Zinnia. The single flowers are deep golden orange in color, with a delicate light yellow stripe which contrasts boldly with the dark center. It is early flowering, and the plant reaches a height of 8 to 10 inches, with a spread of as much as 2 feet.

Pkt. 15c

#### Gaillardia-Flowered Zinnia

799 NAVAJO. Medium-large flowers about 2 inches in diameter, in attractive two-tone combination of rose, bronze, yellow and orange. Fairly long stems. About 2 feet tall; fine for cutting. Pkt. 10c; ½02. 25c

#### McCullough's Special Large-Flowering Zinnia Mixture

804. Consists of all giant sorts, including the best of the Dahlia-Flowered California Giants, Crown o' Gold, Curled and Crested. This mixture will produce a riot of color in garden or for table.

Pkt. 15c; ½80z. 25c; ½0z. 40c; 0z. \$1.25

#### Tom Thumb Zinnia

801 Dwarfest Zinnia known. 4 to 6 inches high, literally covered with flowers of the Lilliput type. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

## Pumila Dwarf Double Zinnia (Cut-And-Come-Again)

802 Blooms early. Flowers intermediate in size between California Giants and Lilliput. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

803 LUTHER BURBANK. Many self-colors, also unusual two- and three-color combinations. Flowers 5 to 5½ inches across, composed of numerous petals which curl back somewhat to form thick flower heads. 3 to 4 feet tall.

Pkt. 15c

# Seeds of Hardy Perennial Flowers and Rock Garden Plants

Planting your own perennial or rock garden is a great satisfaction, and certainly nothing is more fascinating than actually growing from seed the plants and varieties desired. Perennials go on living and increasing for a number of years, the stems dying down each season and coming again from the roots each spring. Most varieties are easily raised from seed sown during the late spring and early summer in frames or seed beds and transplanted to permanent quarters in late summer or early autumn. If the seed be planted in August,

plants should be wintered over in the coldframe and transplanted to the border or rock garden the following spring.

We recommend sowing perennial seeds in the spring. Seed germinates better and seedlings have an opportunity to develop into sturdy plants by fall, which permits them to winter over more successfully. The majority of these perennials bloom the second year from seed although some, like Coreopsis and Gaillardia, if grown early, will bloom the first year. Perennials should be placed in clumps of three or five and left undisturbed for several years.

Varieties marked \* are especially suited for the rock garden.

# ACHILLEA (Milfoil or Yarrow)

805 PTARMICA, THE PEARL. A free-blooming hardy perennial, bearing a profusion of small, double, white flowers on plants 2 feet tall, during July and August. Easily grown from seed; flowers the first season if sown early.

Pkt. 15c

806 AGROSTEMMA Coronaria (Mullein Pink). Silvery foliage and bright crimson flowers from June to August. Free-flowering hardy perennial of easy culture; blooms the first season. Fine for cutting. Height 2½ to 3 feet.

Pkt. 15c

# ALYSSUM (Rock Madwort)

\*807 SAXATILE COMPACTUM (Basket of Gold). Showy, bright yellow flowers. Excellent for rock work. Height 1 foot. Pkt. 15c; 1/40z. 60c
\*808 SAXATILE COMPACTUM, SILVER

\*808 SAXATILE COMPACTUM, SILVER
QUEEN. Broad masses of pale lemon
flowers in early spring. Useful in the border as well as in the dry wall or rock garden.
Pkt. 15c; 4/40Z. 00C

809 ANCHUSA italica, Lissadell. Upright habit, having flowers of the brightest blue. Pkt. 25c

# ANTHEMIS (Hardy Marguerite)

810 KELWAYI. A most satisfactory hardy perennial, bearing daisy-like, golden yellow blooms all summer. Excellent for cutting. Height 2 feet. Pkt. 10c

#### McCullough's Giant Long-Spurred Columbines

The following group comprises without doubt the finest long-spurred Columbines to date. Huge flowers on plants 3 to 4 feet high. Strong, robust and very free flowering.

811 BLUE SHADES. Pkt. 35c 812 PINK SHADES. Pkt. 35c 813 LONG-SPURRED MIXED. All shades, including many not found in

other strains.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

Pkt. 25c

Hardy perennial. When planted in partial shade; the flowers grow larger and last longer. Easily raised from seed.

\*814 ALPINA. Powder-blue; medium spurs. Sheaves of flowers open at a time. Fine for rock garden or low border. Dwarf. Pkt. 20c

815 LONGISSIMA. Of striking formation, with deep yellow petals, paler yellow sepals, and extremely elongated spurs. The plants are from 2 to 3 feet tall, with characteristic bright green cut-leaf foliage and reddish stems.

Pkt. 35c

816 CRIMSON STAR. Long-spurred crimson and white. About 2 feet high. Pkt. 35c

817 DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS.

These new long-spurred Columbines are unequaled for their range of colors and sturdiness. They have received a great deal of attention abroad and are considered in England to be one of the best mixtures offered today.

Pkt. 25c

818 MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT'S STRAIN OF LONG-SPURRED HYBRIDS. A renowned English strain, which enjoys a world-wide reputation for large flowers with long spurs. The colors range from pure white through tones of pink, blue, yellow and red.

Pkt. 25c

\*819 ARABIS alpina (Rock-Cress). The spreading tufts are covered with a sheet of pure white flowers as soon as the snow disappears. Withstands the drought and is always neat. Height 6 inches. Pkt. 15c

ARMERIA (Sea Pink or Thrift). Attractive dwarf plants that are invaluable for the rock garden. Forms evergreen tufts of bright green foliage from which flowers appear in dense heads on stiff, wiry stems 3 to 12 inches high. Easily raised from seed.

820 Giant Hybrids. A mixture of bright pink, red and carmine. Pkt. 20c

821 HARDY PERENNIAL ASTERS, Mixed (Michaelmas Daisies). Single, fall-flowering hardy herbaceous plants, thriving in any good garden soil. If sown early they will flower the first season. Height 3 feet.

Pkt. 20c

AUBRIETA (False Wall Cress). Dwarf perennials. Easily raised from seed, blooming the second year. The plants should be well clipped after flowering so that they will make a fine growth for the next year's bloom.

822 Large-flowering Hybrids. Exceptionally fine strain, including a wide range of many unusual colors, which cannot be fixed and offered separately. Pkt. 15c

Varieties marked \* are especially suitable for the rock garden.

BELLIS PERENNIS (English Daisy). A well-known, dwarf-growing plant, which bears massive, very double, aster-like flowers. Plants are about 6 inches high and bear in greatest profusion.

\*823 Double Mixed. Shades of pink, white, and red. Pkt. 15c

#### **CAMPANULA**

Easily raised from seed and having the advantage of flowering late when blooms in the rock garden or perennial border are scarce.

# Campanula Carpatica (Bellflower)

Will succeed in ordinary rich soil.

\*824 BLUE (Carpathian Harebell). Freeflowering hardy perennial plants, continuing in bloom the whole season; color clear blue. Good for edging and rock gardens. Will bloom the first season if sown early. Height 6 inches. Pkt. 15c

\*825 WHITE.

Pkt. 15c

# Campanula Medium (Single Canterbury Bells)

Cover during the winter with evergreen boughs to protect against severe freezing.

| 826 | DARK BLUE.          | Pkt. 10c   |
|-----|---------------------|------------|
| 827 | LIGHT BLUE.         | Pkt. 10c   |
| 828 | PINK.               | Pkt. 10c   |
| 829 | WHITE.              | Pkt. 10c   |
| 830 | SINGLE MIXED COLORS | . Pkt. 10c |

#### Campanula Calycanthema (Cup-and-Saucer Canterbury Bells)

831 SPECIAL MIXTURE.

Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 50c

832 HARDY BORDER CARNATIONS, Grenadin Mixed. Dwarf, compact plants with a great profusion of double flowers in various colors. Early flowering and invaluable for cutting. Will bloom first year if seed is sown early. Height 1 foot. Pkt. 25c

833 CENTAUREA montana (Perennial Cornflower). Grows 2 feet high, bearing large, violet-blue flowers from July to September. Pkt. 15c

CERASTIUM (Snow-in-Summer). These blanketing hardy perennial plants are suitable for growing over stones and rough banks, also on rough places in the rock garden or for edging of borders.

834 Tomentosum. Narrow, silvery foliage with white flowers. Suitable for planting in dry, sunny places. Height 3 to 6 inches. June. Pkt. 10c; ½oz. 35c; ½oz. 55c

CHEIRANTHUS. Very pretty dwarf, hardy biennial plants, usually handled as annuals, flowering freely throughout the summer from seed sown in spring. For early spring flowering, sow in late summer. Splendid for rock gardens.

835 Golden Bedder (Siberian Wallflower).
About 12 inches high, with head of brilliant orange flowers.

Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 25c

# CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM

(Shasta Daisy)

836 NEW GIANT DOUBLE WHITE.
(Diener Strain.) An assortment of various types of double flowers ranging from the most fully double, fringed-petaled sorts through semi-doubles to a type which, though single, forms unusual and beautifully shaped flowers with laciniated, curled and quilled petals. The flowers are all large and carried on long, wiry stems.

Pkt. 40c

837 CONQUEROR. A Shasta Daisy producing very large, pure white flowers, 5 inches in diameter. Blooms in midseason. The largest variety for cutting yet produced. Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 35c

838 ALASKA. A splendid hardy perennial with flowers rarely less than 5 inches across, of the purest glistening white.

Pkt. 10c; 1/80z. 50c

#### COREOPSIS (Tickseed)

Will flower the first year if sown very early.

839 MAYFIELD GIANT. Deep golden yellow. Blooms freely all summer.

Pkt. 20c; ½00. 50c

840 SUNBURST. This new double form is just as easy to grow as the single varieties, and the extra petalage adds a further charm.

Pkt. 20c; %20c. 50c.

Robert 20c; %20c. 50c.

Pkt. 20c; %20c. 50c.

Pkt. 20c; %20c. 50c.

Pkt. 20c.

# DELPHINIUM (Hardy Perennial Larkspur)

Delphiniums thrive in rich, deeply cultivated soil; however any soil, even hot and sandy, if well watered and fertilized, will give excellent results. If the flowering spikes are cut after blooming to within 8 to 10 inches from the ground, and if the soil is then fertilized and watered, fresh growth will be produced, which will give blooms. Coal ashes strewn over the crown will protect the plants from slugs through the winter and spring and also provide for natural drainage of excess moisture from the crowns.

#### Pacific Strain Delphiniums

841 BLACK KNIGHT SERIES. Deep midnight-violet—the darkest of them all. Pkt. 50c

842 BLUEJAY SERIES. The bluest of the present blues, ranging from medium to dark with strongly contrasting dark bee. Very long spikes, quite mildew resistant. Pkt. 50c

843 GALAHAD SERIES. Clear white of Pkt. 50c

844 KING ARTHUR SERIES. Brilliant royal violet with large white bee. Individual florets 3½ inches in diameter; very thin, woody stems with small foliage.

Pkt. 50c

845 GUINEVERE SERIES. Light pinklavender self with white bee. Individual florets 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. Pkt. 50c

846 PERCIVAL. Double, white flowers.
Black and striped center bee. Pkt. 50c

847 SUMMER SKIES SERIES. Clearest light blue with white bee. Florets 2 to 2½ inches in diameter. Pkt. 50c

848 GIANT PACIFIC HYBRIDS. (V. & R.) Mildew resistant. Shades of lavender, violet and blue. We believe this strain to be an improvement in the Hybrid Delphinium class.

Pkt. 40c; 1/160z. \$1.35

## Delphinium Mixtures of Famous English Specialists

849 BLACKMORE & LANGDON'S STRAIN. We take great pride in offering this unusually fine mixture, which contains nearly all of the newest varieties developed by these famous English Delphinium specialists. The seed we offer is saved from their best varieties. Mildew resistant.

Pkt. 40c

850 WREXHAM HYBRIDS, HOLLY-HOCK STRAIN. A fine mixture of all shades of blue, lavender and mauve. Their sturdy appearance reminds one of hollyhocks.

Pkt. 40c; 1/160z. 90c; 1/80z. \$1.60

## Loose Spray Delphiniums Excellent for Cutting

- 851 BELLADONNA IMPROVED. This is the freest and most continuous-blooming Hardy Larkspur. Clear turquoise-blue. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 15c
- 852 BELLAMOSUM IMPROVED. A rich, deep blue form of the popular light blue Belladonna; having the same free-blooming and other good qualities. Pkt. 15c
- 853 CAMBRIDGE BLUE. A rich clear blue, growing about 2 to 3 feet high. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 15c
- 854 CHINENSE, BLUE MIRROR. Clear, bright navy-blue, wide-open flowers in a new type of dwarf Delphinium Chinense, without spurs and facing upward. Plants 12 to 15 inches tall, with long blooming season. Will bloom the first year from seed sown outdoors in the spring. Pkt. 20c

**DELPHINIUM, ANNUAL.** See Larkspur, page 36.

# DIANTHUS (Hardy Garden Pinks)

Every garden should include some Pinks because they are so easily grown and make such a wonderful display with their bright-colored flowers. The plants are covered with sweet-scented blooms all during the summer. Grows about 1 foot high.

\*855 ALLWOODI. A splendid strain, being half Carnation and half Pink. 75 percent come double. Mixed. Pkt. 35c

BARBATUS. See Sweet William, page 46.

856 HIGHLAND HYBRIDS. Tall, strongstemmed Pinks in a mixture of colors, beautifully marked and zoned. Pkt. 25c

\*857 PLUMARIUS (Pheasant's Eye Pink). A semi-double, hardy variety, clove-scented. Flowers blush-white, shaded with crimson and maroon. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 65c

858 NEW BLUE. A perennial blue Sweet William. Bright lavender-blue flowers on 9-inch stems. Ideal for rock gardens and borders.

Pkt. 25c

859 OLD VILLAGE PINKS. A very hardy perennial with a long blooming season. Compact in growth and rich in range of colors. Mixed colors. Pkt. 25c

860 WHITE LOVELINESS. Pure white; exquisitely fragrant. Plants hardy, 15 inches tall. Pkt. 25c

#### DIANTHUS SPECIES

These well-known mountain plants are for the sunny border or sunny, exposed places in the rock garden or rock wall. They generally bloom after the spring flowers are over, and some are very fragrant. As friendly and easily grown as arabis or alyssum. Easily raised from seed, germinating quickly. Plant in good, well-drained soil, containing some lime

\*861 CAESIUS (Cheddar Pink). Pleasing at all seasons with its tufts of gray, narrow leaves and rose-pink, fringed, spice-scented blooms. Good for a south wall or any dry hot place in the rock garden. From 5 to 10 inches high. Late May to early July.

Pkt. 15c; ½oz. 35c; ½oz. 50c

862 DELIGHT. Of neat erect habit. Blooms from June to October. Flowers ½ inch wide, in shades from the palest pink to the deepest purple and red. Height about 9 inches.

Pkt. 25c

863 SUPERBUS, LOVELINESS. The shaggy, finely fringed flowers of delicate rosy lilac are highly sweet scented and measure from 1½ to 2 inches across. Height 12 to 15 inches. Pkt. 25c

ANNUAL PINKS. See page 35.

## **DIGITALIS** (Foxglove)

864 SHIRLEY STRAIN. The plants attain a height of 5 to 7 feet, with spikes 3 to 4 feet long, carrying flowers of giant size ranging in color from white to dark rose and handsomely blotched and spotted cream, maroon and chocolate. Pkt. 15c

# GAILLARDIA (Blanket-Flower)

The Gaillardias are wonderful for cut flowers, blooming right through until frost and adapting themselves to almost any kind of soil.

865 PORTOLA HYBRIDS. The colors range through shades of bronze-red with golden tips; very robust. Pkt. 20c

866 BURGUNDY. A brilliant coppery scarlet, sometimes yellow tipped. Pkt. 20c

\*867 GOBLIN. The neat plants reach a height of 12 to 15 inches and are covered with large, showy yellow flowers with deep red zone.

Pkt. 20c

868 GERBERA (Transvaal Daisy). A tender perennial, Gerbera is becoming very popular. This is a new strain that we believe to have the finest color range obtainable from seed. Long stems topped by graceful blooms in brilliant and unusual colors.

Pkt. (50 seeds) 50c

\*869 GEUM, Double, Mrs. Bradshaw (Avens). Orange-scarlet flowers bloom the first year. Height 18 inches. Pkt. 15c

\*870 Double, Lady Stratheden. Rich golden yellow flowers, as fine as the popular Mrs. Bradshaw. Height 18 inches.

Pkt. 15c

871 Orange Queen. A shade intermediate between Mrs. Bradshaw and Lady Stratheden—a bright orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15c

874 HEMEROCALLIS, Peerless Hybrids (Daylily). Very hardy, thriving in full sun but tolerating shade. Large variety of colors, some with dark shadings and many bicolor, also harmonizing lemon, buff and bronze shades. Seed from large-flowered hybrids, germinating readily. Pkt. 20c

# GYPSOPHILA (Babys-Breath)

872 PANICULATA, Single. White flowers, fine for bouquets; blooms first year if sown early. Pkt. 15c; 1/4oz. 30c; oz. 90c

873 PANICULATA, Double. Pure white, giving a very large percentage of double flowers. Pkt. 20c

875 HEUCHERA sanguinea splendens (Coralbells). Deep crimson, varying to scarlet; flowers carried in graceful sprays. Delightful in rock gardens and borders and for cutting.

Pkt. 25c

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12 Easily Grown Hardy Perennials
AGROSTEMMA (Mullein Pink).
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CANTERBURY BELLS, Cup-and-Saucer.

GAILLARDIA.
PLATYCODON (Beliflower).
POPPY, Orientale.
SHASTA DAISY, Conqueror.
SWEET WILLIAM.

One pkt. each of these 12 varieties (Value \$2.20) for \$1.75

876 HIBISCUS, Giant Flowering (Rose Mallow or Marsh Mallow). Showy, ornamental shrub growing to a large size and blooming the first year from spring-sown seed. The flowers often measure 8 to 10 inches across, are gorgeous in color and bloom in great profusion from late July to frost. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

# **HONESTY** (Lunaria)

884 BIENNIS ALBA (Saint Peter's Penny).

Hardy perennial admired for its silvery seed pods, used for winter bouquets. Beautiful cross-shaped flower. Sow in open ground in May. Protect over winter.

Pkt. 10c

# IBERIS (Hardy Candytuft)

Low, shrubby, perennial evergreen plants, very valuable for dry sunny places, that are well drained. The plants should be clipped after flowering, in order to keep them compact and sightly. Easily raised from seed.

\*885 JUCUNDA. Pink. Very dwarf.
Pkt. 35c

\*886 SEMPERVIRENS. Clusters of chinawhite blooms, which almost completely cover the dark, shining evergreen foliage. Fine for dry walls and the rock garden. Will grow in a sunny or half-shaded position. May and early June. Height 10 to 12 inches.

Pkt. 25c

\*887 GIBRALTARICA. Lilac-pink blooms. A less hardy sort, needing protection in winter. It must be given the hottest and driest position. Prefers a light soil. May and June. Height 10 to 12 inches.

Pkt. 25c; 1/80z. 40c

#### HOLLYHOCK

877 DOUBLE WHITE. An improved strain producing perfect double flowers.

Pkt. 15c; ½80z. 65c

878 NEWPORT PINK. Pure pink; very double. Pkt. 15c; ½0z. 65c

879 DOUBLE SCARLET. Very brilliant. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 65c
880 DOUBLE YELLOW. A bright lemon

color. **Pkt. 15c;** ½**0z. 65c 881 DOUBLE MIXED.** Comprises all **shades. Pkt. 15c;** ½**0z. 55c** 

882 SINGLE MIXED. Pkt. 10c; ½80Z. 35c

883 TRIUMPH SUPREME. A new double Hollyhock in a range of unusual colors, including combinations not to be found in existing strains. Early; rust-resistant.

Pkt. 20c

LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Hardy Sweet Pea). Showy, free-flowering hardy perennial climbers for covering old stumps, fences, etc. Continually in bloom; fine for cutting.

888 Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 10c; ½0z. 60c 889 LAVENDER, Vera (Lavandula). Wellknown, sweet-scented hardy perennials. Should be extensively grown in the mixed border. Height 3 feet. Pkt. 25c

890 LILIUM regale (Regal Lily). Hardy and excellent for forcing. The flowers are white, slightly suffused pink outside, with beautiful canary-yellow at the center and extending up the trumpet. Delightfully perfumed. Blooms outdoors early in July. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 55c

891 Tenuifolium (Coral Lily). Perfectly hardy. One of the earliest to flower. Grows 24 inches high, with flowers along the stem. Blooms are deep scarlet, with recurved petals of waxy texture. Pkt. 15c

# LINUM (Flax)

Showy, free-flowering plants with feathery foliage. Suitable for dry, sunny borders or rock gardens. Will not thrive in heavy, damp soils.

\*892 FLAVUM. Gay yellow flowers in loose clusters. Foliage dark green, forming a dwarf mass in the perennial border.
Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 70c

\*893 PERENNE. Bright blue flowers. Pkt. 15c

894 RUSSELL LUPINS. Deep yellows, oranges, reds and brilliant bicolors never before seen in Lupins.

50 seeds 25c

\*895 MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens (Forget-Me-Not). An everblooming variety, beginning to flower in May and continuing till autumn. Large, clear blue flowers in pretty sprays. Pkt. 15c

\*896 NIEREMBERGIA, Purple Robe (Cup-Flower). Deep blue or violet-blue in color. A half-hardy perennial treated as an annual, blooming in about 15 weeks from sowing. It prefers full sun, sandy loam. Very dwarf, cushion-like plant about 6 inches tall.

Pkt. 25c

**OENOTHERA** (Evening Primrose). The Evening Primrose is noted for its heavy scent, given off during the evening hours. Its yellow flowers, attractive during the daytime, seem to reflect the moon at night.

897 Missouriensis. Yellow, cupped flowers
4 inches across, in early summer. Height
6 inches. Pkt. 15c

PANSIES, TUFTED. See Viola, page 46.

898 PENSTEMON gloxinioides, "Sensation" (Beard-Tongue). Gloxinia-like flowers in a very wide range of bright colors including rose, red, carmine, pink, lilac, purple, etc. Pkt. 15c

PETUNIA. See page 38.

901 PHYSALIS Francheti (Chinese Lantern Plant). An ornamental plant forming dense bushes about 2 feet high, producing bright orange-scarlet, lantern-like fruits, which can be cut and dried for winter bouquets. Highly interesting. Pkt. 15c

900 PHLOX, Beltsville Beauty. A wide mixture of colors including many new shades, also pure paper-white, most of them with a dark eye. The majority are quite large-flowered and bear many stems of large umbels. To insure good germination, seed should be frozen before being planted. Pkt. 20c

# ORIENTAL POPPIES (Papaver Orientale)

These are highly decorative. Their huge, brightly colored flowers are borne profusely during May and June. Sow where they are to bloom. Height 3 feet.

904 BEAUTY OF LIVERMERE. Large flowers, crimson with black blotch. Pkt. 25c

905 MRS. PERRY. Orange-apricot; very fine. Pkt. 25c

906 PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. Delicate salmon-pink. Pkt. 15c

907 FELTHAM. Distinct type in various colors but without black blotch at base.
Pkt. 25c

908 ORIENTALE, SCARLET. Very hardy, producing showy scarlet flowers. Pkt. 15c

909 ORIENTALE HYBRIDS. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

# ICELAND POPPIES (Papaver Nudicaule)

Graceful, light green tufts of foliage and large, gaily colored flowers on stems 1 foot tall. Blooms for many months.

910 KELMSCOTT STRAIN. Colors range from deep scarlet through delicate pinks and buff to white. Pkt. 20c

## Down the Primrose Path PRIMULA (Hardy Primrose)

Splendid for naturalizing near shrubs or shaded nooks and moist places in the rock garden. Primroses are not at home in open herbaceous borders but thrive in sheltered, lightly wooded places.

\*911 VULGARIS. The old English Primrose with pale yellow flowers. Grows in half shade. Mid-April to June. Height 6 to 9 inches. Pkt. 25c

# POLYANTHUS (Bunch Primrose)

The Bunch Primroses will thrive in full sun if they have some moisture at the root; if not, they must be given the comfort of partial shade.

\*912 GIANT BOUQUET. Brilliant shades of red, orange and bronze, as well as the richest maroons and yellows, and pure white. Pkt. 35c

## PLATYCODON (Balloon-Flower or Bellflower)

Easily raised from seed. Begins blooming in August if sown outdoors in April.

902 GRANDIFLORUM. Large, deep blue flowers. Pkt. 15c

\*903 GRANDIFLORUM MARIESI. Dwarf species, with broad, thick foliage and large, deep violet-blue flowers on 12-inch stems.

Pkt. 15c

# PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy)

913 HYBRIDUM. Single and double varieties, mixed. Hardy perennial bearing large, daisy-like flowers ranging in color from white to deep red, with bright yellow centers. Blooms in May and June and again in the fall and is one of the most graceful and long-lasting cut flowers. Height 2 feet. Pkt. 25c

#### PERENNIAL SCABIOSA

914 ISAAC HOUSE STRAIN. Outer edges are ruffled and fringed, and the colors range from very light lavender to dark blue.

Pkt. 25c

915 COLUMBARIA. A hardy, low-growing perennial with fine, light green foliage. Some of the flowers measure 2½ inches across. A beautiful pink shade. Pkt. 20c

916 CAUCASICA, BLUE PERFECTION. Height 3 feet. Pkt. 20c

917 CAUCASICA ALBA. A huge, pure white variety. The flowers are 3 to 4 inches across on long stems. Pkt. 20c

# SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus Barbatus)

Easily grown, very hardy and free flowering, continuing in bloom for several weeks. The sweet-scented flowers are borne in heads or clusters 3 to 4 inches across, on stiff stems. Useful for cutting. Height 1½ feet.

920 NEWPORT PINK. In color it is what florists call watermelon-pink or salmony rose. Pkt. 15c

921 HOLBORN GLORY. The individual flowers and trusses are of extraordinary size, while the range of color, all showing a clear, white eye, is truly superb. Pkt. 15c

922 SCARLET BEAUTY. Intense scarlet. Pkt. 15c

923 WHITE. Pure white. Pkt. 15c

924 DOUBLE MIXED. A splendid strain of this beautiful perennial, comprising a great variety of excellent shades. Pkt. 15c

\*925 MIDGET SINGLE MIXED. Alpine Sweet William; uniform habit. The color range is from white, salmon, scarlet to maroon, with most blooms tricolor. Height 3 to 4 inches. Pkt. 15c

\*926 MIDGET DOUBLE MIXED. An attractive double form. Pkt. 25c

\*927 INDIAN CARPET. 5 to 6 inches high. Large auricula-eyed forms with zones of red, scarlet, pink, and also a great number of selfs, such as crimson, scarlet, pink and white. Pkt. 15c SWEET ROCKET (Evening-Scented Stock). Fragrant flower heads growing 2 to 3 feet high, somewhat resembling perennial phlox. Excellent for borders and partially shaded places.

918 White. Pkt. 15c 919 Mixed. Pkt. 15c

928 TRITOMA Hybrida (Red Hot Poker or Torch Lily). The introduction of new, continuous-flowering Tritomas has given them a prominent place among hardy bedding plants. It is not generally known that they are readily grown from seed. Many flower the first year if sown early. For immediate results plants are preferable, but raising them from seed is highly interesting.

Pkt. 15c

VERONICA (Speedwell). Hardy perennials suitable for the border and rock garden. Of easy culture, thriving in any good soil. Cut back all faded flowers to promote new growth and additional blooms.

\*929 Spicata. An elegant border plant growing 1½ feet high and producing long spikes of bright blue flowers in June and July.

Pkt. 15c

VIOLA CORNUTA (Tufted Pansies). A tufted plant of strong growth, bearing a profusion of faintly scented flowers the size of small Pansies. Valuable for the border or rock garden. Grows in sun or half shade, 5 to 8 inches high. If the plants are sheared several times during the season so that the flowers do not go to seed, they will bloom from late April until frost.

\*930 Cornuta Mixed. A mixture including all shades. Pkt. 25c

\*931 LARGE-FLOWERING VIOLAS, Mixed. Pkt. 35c

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**CORONA.** Creamy white with a rose picotee edge. Six to eight wide-open blooms on a head of sixteen to eighteen buds. Tall, strong, husky grower.

Tall, strong, husky grower.

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white with a conspicuous red blotch edged
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SILVER WINGS. Clictorical

SILVER WINGS. Glistening white sport of Picardy, with all its good qualities. Strong, healthy grower. Nicely ruffled.

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BURMA. Very deep rose with heavily ruffled bloom.

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PANDORA. Soft geranium-pink with slightly darker lines in throat. Opens eight to ten well-placed florets.

75c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100

PIONEER. A blend of rosy pink. Mediumsized flowers. A good grower.

90c per doz.; \$7.00 per 100

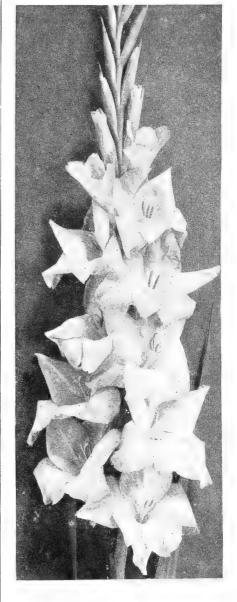
SPIC AND SPAN. Probably the largest winner in 1950 shows, with giant, deep pink, ruffled florets. Opens ten of its twenty-two buds together, with all the rest showing color. It consistently makes fine spikes from any size bulb and increases rapidly. Outstanding as a commercial and show flower.

\$1.15 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100

McCULLOUGH'S SUPER MIXTURE.
Large bulbs. Brilliant colors.
70c per doz.; \$5.50 per 100

#### CONTROL INSECTS WITH SPERGON GLADIOLUS DUST

A mixture of Spergon and DDT. Start using when plants are 6 inches high and continue to blooming time.



#### Red

ALGONQUIN. Handsome tall exhibition variety. Wide-open blooms of brilliant scarlet. 90c per doz.; \$7.00 per 100

HAWKEYE RED. Brilliant red sport of Vagabond Prince. A strong, healthy grower. 75c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100

MALAY CHIEF. A very good red. Reliable grower. 90c per doz.; \$7.00 per 100

MODERN TIMES. Wine-red with yellow line on lip. Very pretty and distinctive. Six to 8 blooms open on a tall stem.

75c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100

NANCY. A fine medium shade of red. Grows 4 feet tall, with 7 blooms open at a time. \$1.15 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100

# SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS



**Tuberous Rooted Begonia Double** Camellia Type

#### BEGONIA Tuberous-Rooted

If early flowering is desired, start tubers in January or February in a box or flat. Cover the bottom with 1 inch of sphagnum moss or peat moss; place the bulbs on the moss about 3 inches apart and barely cover them with soil. Keep moist, but not too wet, and in a warm, well-lighted place until 3 or 4 inches of growth develops. Then plant in pots or permanent position. Bulbs may also be planted outdoors, about 8 inches apart, about the middle of May. Select a moist, shaded situation under trees in a light, loamy soil. Good drainage is essential.

#### DOUBLE CAMELLIA TYPE

A double-flowering form. Flowers resemble the Camellia. Excellent for cutting.

#### Pink White Yellow Orange Red Mixed DOUBLE CARNATION FLOWERED TYPE

Double flowers, frilled and fringed on the outer edges.

Pink Red Yellow Mixed White DOUBLE HANGING-BASKET TYPE Pink Mixed White Yellow Red

All Tuberous-Rooted Begonias Largest bulbs, 2 in. and up, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

#### **CANNAS Dormant Roots**

Cannas do well in full sun and respond quickly to fertilizing with well-rotted manure. Bloom from early summer till frost.

CITY OF PORTLAND, 4 feet. Rich deep

KING HUMBERT. 41/2 feet. Scarlet flowers. Bronze foliage.

THE PRESIDENT. 4 feet. A rich glowing

scarlet. Green foliage.
YELLOW KING HUMBERT. 4½ to 5 feet. Flowers yellow, spotted red. Green

EUREKA. 4 feet. White flowers with green foliage

WYOMING. 4 to 5 feet. Orange flower with bronze foliage.

Selected roots:

15c each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100

#### CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

ELEPHANT'S EAR. Effective plants for beds. Large, rich green leaves. Plant outdoors from May 1 on. Mammoth bulbs, 50c each; \$5.50 per doz.

#### FANCY-LEAVED CALADIUMS

Few summer foliage plants equal the Fancy-Leaved Caladiums with their gorgeous yet soft-colored leaves. Being of a tropical nature, they like a warm temperature. They do very well outdoors during the summer if planted in a shady place. Culture similar to the tuberous-rooted begonia. 50c each; 3 for \$1.40; \$5.00 per doz.

#### **GLOXINIAS**

Gorgeous plants for either conservatory or garden. They prefer a moist soil and a shady situation. Bulbs may be started as early as January or February but should not be set outdoors until May 10. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25; \$5.00 per doz.

#### HYACINTHUS

(Summer-Hyacinth)

CANDICANS. Flowers are pure white and pendulous, growing about 3 to 4 feet high. 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

#### MONTBRETIAS

Montbretias will bloom from July until frost. They are easily grown and make excellent cut flowers. Color range yellow, salmon, orange and scarlet. Bulbs should be planted outdoors during April and May. Culture same as gladiolus. Large flowering mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.

#### OXALIS

Useful little plants, very effective in masses, edging or for pots or hanging baskets indoors. 50c per doz.; 25 for 95c; \$3.50 per 100.

#### TIGRIDIA

(Mexican Shell-Flower)

Gorgeously colored flowers in a wide range of colors. Culture same as gladiolus. Plant outdoors about May 1. \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.

#### **DOUBLE TUBEROSE**

EXCELSIOR DWARF PEARL. Easily recognized by its fragrance and beautiful spikes of double white flowers, fine for cutting. Plant outdoors in May or June. Jumbo bulbs, 27c each; \$2.75 per doz. Large bulbs, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

#### **AMARYLLIS**

Planted in a pot in winter, they bloom about seven to ten weeks later. Colors range. from white, red, pink with varied markings. GIANT CALIFORNIA MIXED HYBRIDS. All colors mixed. 3½ in. diameter. 85c each; 3 for \$2.25; \$8.50 per doz.

# McCullough's FLOWER SEED COLLECTIONS

#### No. 2902 **Dwarf Zinnia Collection**

5 Distinct Varieties

Including Tom Thumb, Mexican, Fantasy, Navajo, and Cupid Mixed. Value 65c. FOR ONLY 40c

#### No. 2903-McCullough's Old-Fashioned Garden

10 Distinct Flowers

Ralsam Candytuft Baby's Breath Heliotrope

Mignonette Nicotiana Pinks

Scabiosa Sweet William Verbena

Value \$1.20 ONLY 90c

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Iberis Sempervirens Alyssum Arabis Bellis Perennis Geum Linum Dianthus Plumarius Sweet William Gaillardia, Goblin Value \$1.40 FOR ONLY \$1.40

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Cut Flowers That Will Last a Year Acroclinium Helichrysum Gomphrena Xeranthemum

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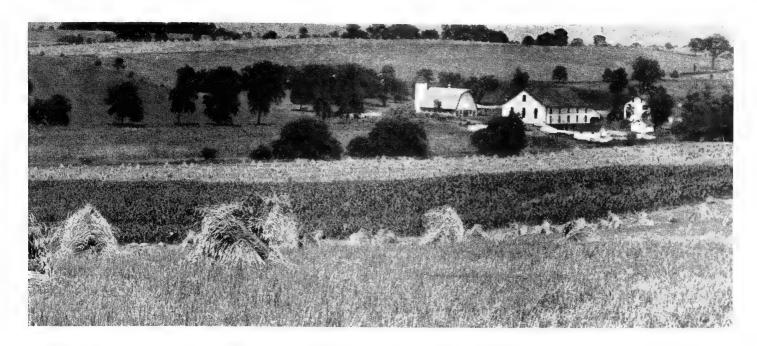
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Chinese Forget-Me-Not Cornflower Nemophila Godetia Nicotiana Lupines Petunia

Value \$1.50 \$1.00



# FARM SEEDS

Prices on all Farm Seeds are subject to fluctuations. We will be glad to quote you firm prices on request. Orders entrusted to us will be filled at the lowest price on day received.

LESPEDEZA, Korean. An annual legume, which under favorable conditions will reseed itself. It is best adapted to thin or acid soil. 15 to 25 lbs. usually sown per acre from February to April 15. Sericea is a perennial Lespedeza. Scarified seed can be sown at the rate of 10 to 12 lbs. per Scarified seed acre in spring after danger of frost and as late as April 15.

RED CLOVER (Trifolium pratense). Too well known to need extended description. Best sown in the spring, and requires 10 to 12 lbs. per acre alone or 5 to 6 lbs. per acre if in mixture with grasses.

MAMMOTH OR SAPLING CLOVER. Similar to Red Clover but of larger growth and blooms three weeks later; hence, more valuable for sowing with Timothy. It also forms better aftermath than Red Clover. Requires same quantity of seed per acre as Red Clover.

RED CLOVER, Kenland, Cumberland and Midland. Winter hardy; excellent growth habit, resistant to anthracnose disease. Kenland is adapted to the Red Clover belt where anthracnose is a serious disease and has proved to be outstanding and highest yielding. Cumberland is adapted to areas similar to southern Ohio and southward; Midland north of these areas.

ALSIKE CLOVER (Trifolium bybridum). One of the best Clovers for sowing with Timothy; they mature at the same time. Blossoms flesh color. It is very hardy and will do well on thin or poorly drained soils, making very satisfactory pasturage. It is also valuable for hay. If sown alone requires 5 to 8 lbs. per acre or in mixture 2 to 4 lbs. per acre.

CRIMSON CLOVER (Trifolium incarna-★tum). An annual for turning under as a green manure crop or as a winter cover crop. Sown in July or August, also early spring, at rate of 15 to 20 lbs. per acre. It should be cut just before bloom stage for

LADINO CLOVER. A mammoth perennial ★type of White Clover spreading by vigor-ous horizontal stems. Plant reaches 12 to 15 inches in height under favorable conditions. Valuable for pasture for all livestock and widely used for enriching a mixture of other grasses. Sow 1 to 2 lbs. alone or ½ to 1 lb. per acre in mixtures. Excellent for hog and chicken pasture.

BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL. A low-growing perennial legume for pastures. Starts slowly but has long season. Inoculated, it thrives on ground too poor for Alfalfa or Clover. It takes several years to establish but is quite permanent and disease free.

SMOOTH BROME GRASS. A tall per-★ennial doing well on loose, dry soil. Used with Alfalfa or Lading to produce hay and pasture during hot, dry seasons. Sow 15 to 20 lbs. per acre.

REED CANARY GRASS. An excellent ★hay crop for moist or swampy land. 6 to 8 lbs. per acre with 2 lbs. Alsike to insure uniform stand.

SWEET CLOVER, Common White and Yellow Blossom. Valuable for use on poorer soils both as a crop and for improving the soil.

Hubam. An annual white variety desirable when a catch crop is wanted especially when the field is to be fall plowed.

NEW RECOMMENDED VARIETIES OF SWEET CLOVER

Evergreen. A white-blossomed biennial that is later in maturing than common White Sweet Clover. Grows vigorously and is highly regarded as a pasture and soil-improvement crop. Blooms over a long period, making an excellent bee pasture.

Madrid. A biennial yellow-blossomed variety that is leafy and fine stemmed. Matures early and produces an abundance of seed. It reaches a height of about 5 feet. An excellent soil-improvement and pasture crop.

ALFALFA. Every farm should have at ★least some Alfalfa. Its feeding value is unexcelled. Alfalfa grows best on good land, well limed and containing available plant foods, particularly phosphoric acid. Sow 12 to 15 lbs. per acre alone or 2 to 5 lbs. in mixtures. Two new varieties, Ranger and Buffalo, adapted to central and northern United States, have been developed for their resistance to a bacterial wilt which has been taking heavy tolls in recent years in second and third-year stands and older.

ATLANTIC is a new vigorous, high-yielding variety adapted to central and eastern states. It is highly resistant to leaf-spot and other foliar diseases which had made Alfalfa growing unprofitable in many sections.

#### McCullough's "Farm and Grass Seed Manual"

Handy 128-page reference book including cultural directions, detailed descriptions, and 85 illustrations.

To secure your copy, send \$1.00 to cover cost of printing, handling and

postage.

McCULLOUGH'S PERMANENT PAS-**★TURE MIXTURES.** Formulated over a period of years, these represent a composite of recommendations by our own and neighboring State Agricultural Extension Ser-Fall seedings are without legumes, which can be sown the following spring if desired.

No. 1. For general conditions on GOOD,

well-drained soil.

No. 2. For well-drained soils of MEDIUM or LOW fertility.

No. 3. For WET or POORLY DRAINED

No. 4. For badly eroded areas for ERO-SION CONTROL. Rate of seeding, 15 to 20 lbs. per acre. Write for full descriptive circular giving formula of each mixture.

- OATS, Clinton 59, Andrew, Columbia and Northern White. Our Oats are carefully selected and well recleaned. Do not confuse them with ordinary feed Oats. Sow  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  bus. per acre.
- OATS, Winter Turf. For fall and spring sowing. Grows 4 to 5 feet high; straw is very palatable for stock. 1½ to 2 bus.
- VETCH, Hairy or Sand (Vicia villosa) Winter annual, adapted to sandy soil and will do much to build up any soil, especially when inoculated. Withstands cold weather. Should be sown from late August to middle of September or in Spring at the rate of 15 to 25 lbs. per acre. Can be sown with rye.
- VETCH, Spring (Vicia sativa). Used with Oats for producing spring hay.
- SUNFLOWER, Mammoth Russian. The best variety for the farmer. Drill in seed at about 8 to 10 lbs. to acre. Much relished by poultry and horses. Current prices on request.
- BROOM CORN. We carry varieties that are known to produce the finest quality straw and command the highest prices. Sow 4 to 5 lbs. per acre in drills, rows 3 feet apart. Thin out the stalks to about 70 to the rod. Cultivate same as Corn. Cut when seed is in the milk.
- MILLET, True Tennessee Cultivated.
  (Round Seed.) This Millet withstands drought better than all other varieties. It is used as a summer hay crop; particularly adapted to rich or bottom soils.
- MILLET, Home Grown. A very desirable feature is its earliness; the foliage is also very heavy and the leaves broad.
- MILLET, Hungarian. Specially adapted to rich or alluvial soil. It makes a finer quality of hay than other Millet on very rich soil, for it does not grow so coarse.
- BUCKWHEAT. A splendid crop for poor ★land. Largely used for bees. Sow in June, July or August at rate of ¾ to 1 bus. per acre broadcast, covering with a smoothing harrow. It does not mature grain until the cool nights; hence, too early sowing is not desirable.
  - INOCULATION OF FIELD SEEDS is always good insurance. Ask for proper inoculation. We can supply fresh, economical, easily applied cultures.
- GARDEN SIZE-Peas, Beans, Sweet Peas, Lupines, Lima Beans and Edible Soybeans. Enough for 8 lbs. seed. 15c

# FARM SEEDS, continued

- COMBINE RED MILO AND WHITE KAFFIR. Foliage and stalks do not contain saccharine matter and are therefore. not so valuable for feeding, but the enormous yield of grain makes it very profitable. The grain, containing a high percentage of starch, is very largely used for poultry and stock feeding.
- SOY BEANS. A leading crop, valuable not ★only as a grain for milling, but for hay and forage. They are also excellent for soil improvement when plowed under as a green manure crop. Inoculation of Soy Beans is beneficial regardless of purpose of crop. Sow 1½ bus. per acre drilled solid or 45 lbs. in rows for cultivation. The following varieties are some of the best for this section. Write for variety descriptions and current prices. Best for Hay Crop: Wilson Black, Kingwa and Virginia Brown, Yellow Varieties; Hawkeve, Lincoln and Richland.
- CANADA FIELD PEAS AND COWPEAS. Good soil-improving crops.
- RYE, Northern and Balbo. Our Rye is carefully selected stock, or well recleaned and tested. Do not confuse it with ordinary milling Rye.
- BARLEY. Needs rich soil, lighter than that adapted to Wheat. It should be cut before fully ripe if for hay, as it is then of better quality and less liable to shell. Sow 1½ to 2 bus. if drilled; 2 to 2½ bus. broadcast. (48 lbs. per bus.) We usually carry the following spring varieties:
- BARLEY, Spring Bearded. Yields heavily. Most commonly used in this section.
- BARLEY, Spartan Bearded. Smooth or barbless beard.
- BARLEY, VELVET or Barbless. Smooth or barbless beard.
- BARLEY, Winter or Fall Bearded, Kentucky No. 1. Decidedly superior to any other variety for fall sowing in this area. It is among the most winter hardy and is highest yielding variety. Has fairly good straw.
- WHEAT, Seneca. A smooth variety adapted to the same areas as Thorne. It tests higher in bushel weight and slightly outyields Thorne. Other recommended varieties: **Butler**, a bearded variety, and outvields Vigo, a smooth type.
- DWARF ESSEX RAPE. Makes excellent \*pasture for both sheep and hogs and is a fine conditioner for all livestock except milk cows. Best results are obtained by planting in two separate fields, pasturing alternately ten days each. Plant any time, early spring to midsummer. Sow 3 lbs. per acre in drills; 6 lbs. broadcast.
- SWEET SUDAN. A sweet, juicy, highly ★palatable improved type of Sudan Grass. It is later in maturity and produces more vegetative growth, which remains green longer. Same seeding rate as Sudan.
- SUDAN GRASS. Perhaps the most valuable ★grass catch crop in the Middle West, being used for hay, pasture and sometimes silage. It is adapted to practically all soils. If seeded about May 15, it will yield several cuttings of hay, although it is often planted as late as mid-July. Sow 30 lbs. broadcast or 10 to 15 lbs. per acre in drills, rows 21/2 to 3 feet apart.

CERTIFIED WILLIAMS SYRUP CANE. This variety of Sweet Sorghum is char-

acterized by an open head with lax branches. Tall stalk with light green leaves. Good yielder, highly resistant to rust, and produces high quality of syrup.

ATLAS SORGO. A forage and grain crop, ★outstanding for its heavy yield. Has a juicy, sweet, leafy stalk, which grows 7 to 10 feet and requires 120 to 130 days to mature. Usually sown 5 to 10 lbs. per acre.

FODDER CANE SEED FOR FORAGE.

# CERTIFIED CORN HYBRIDS McCullough's **Buckeye Brand**

Hybrids adapted to your locality insuring superior yields, high grain quality, excellent standability, disease and insect resistance. Ask for descriptive circular.

For early maturity we recommend:

Iowa 939

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K 24

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Yellow Hybrids: US 13-Kv. 103 White Hybrids: Ky. 203-Indiana 501A

When selecting Hybrid Seed Corn it is well to remember there is an advantage to planting two or more different hybrids on one farm. Soil productivity, rainfall, temperature and insect damage, which vary from field to field and from year to year, react differently on the different hybrids. By planting two or more hybrids to offset these varied conditions, a consistently higher yield will be maintained.

# **OPEN-POLLINATED** FIELD CORN

# McCullough's **Buckeye Brand**

Carefully selected, tested and graded. Ask for current prices, stating variety in which you are interested.

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Woodburn Yellow Dent; Early Butler. Early-maturing varieties.

Yellow Learning. Medium maturity. Reid's Yellow Dent. Late maturity.

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Hickory King. Extensively used for green table Corn or roasting ears.

Eureka White Ensilage. Excellent for silage purposes.

INCREASE YIELDS! TREAT WITH ARASAN, SEMESAN JR. OR SPERGON For BRUSH KILLER PRICES REFER TO Page 56

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Mix Adco with leaves, weeds, vines, clippings, cuttings, straw, cornstalks, etc., and turn them into rich plant food. 5 lbs. \$1.55; 20 lbs. \$3.95.

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#### STEAMED BONEMEAL

The fertilizer for all purposes; safe and effective. Especially good for use in the rose garden, on lawns and on flowering shrubs.

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#### HOFFMANN'S RAW BONEMEAL

Analysis: Nitrogen 3.70%, total phosphoric acid 20%. **32 ozs. 39c; 5 lbs. 79c.** 

#### **BULB-FOOD**

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A plant food made especially for bulbs. 5 lbs. 85c; 10 lbs. \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$3.00.

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A strictly organic fertilizer. An ideal soil builder and mulch, easy to use as a top dressing. When applied to lawns of poor soil texture it has the decided advantage of binding sandy soil and breaking up a clayey condition. Ideal for roses. Broadcast at the rate of 100 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.

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#### **GRO-STUF**

A concentrated liquid fertilizer (20-20-20) with trace elements and hormones added. 1-lb. can. \$1.25 4-lb. can. \$3.75

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Use one part to two parts good garden soil to make an ideal potting soil for house plants, rootings, vegetables. 32 ozs. 29c.

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#### LIME.

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MURIATE OF POTASH. 5 lbs. 75c; 10 lbs. \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$3.00.

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#### **PLANTABBS**

A fertilizer and stimulant in tablet form, made especially for potted plants. Now contains Vitamin B-1. Package of 30 tablets 25c; 75 tablets 50c; 200 tablets \$1.00; 1000 tablets \$3.50.

# PLANT MARVEL

12-31-14

A balanced plant food. Highly concentrated. Trial size 35c; ½lb. 75c; lb. \$1.25.

#### RHODO-AZALEA FOOD

3-20-3

An acid fertilizer designed especially for acid-loving plants such as rhododendrons, azaleas, etc. 5-lb. bag 85c; 10-lb. bag \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$3.00.

# ROSE-FOOD

G & O. 7-8-5. An all-organic plant food made especially for roses. Safe for continuous feeding. Lb. 35c; 5 lbs. 85c; 10 lbs. \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$3.00; 100 lbs. \$9.75.

TRI-OGEN ROSE FOOD. 5-10-5. A well-balanced and complete organic-inorganic fertilizer which will help you have a rich, luxuriant and bountiful rose garden. Use about 3 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. 5 lbs. \$1.00; 10 lbs. \$1.70; 25 lbs. \$3.20.

HOFFMANN'S ROSE FOOD. 32 ozs. 39c; 5 lbs. 69c.

#### SHEEP MANURE

#### Contains the Same Elements as Stable Manure Dried—Pulverized

Provides valuable nitrogen, an abundance of humus and the essential plant-food elements needed to make all plants thrive. Safe, weedless, economical.

The Flower and Vegetable Garden is particularly benefited by the use of Pulverized Sheep Manure. It should be spread at the rate of 100 lbs. to 1000 sq. ft. or 2000 to 3000 lbs. to the acre, applied after plowing just before the final harrowing.

Grass. Use 100 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Scatter broadcast over the old lawn or rake thoroughly into the top soil a day or two before seeding a new one.

Florists and Gardeners. In potting soil, one part Sheep Manure to six parts soil is the usual proportion. For liquid use 1 lb. of the manure to 5 gals. of water. In carnation, chrysanthemum or rose houses it is often used for a light top dressing.

| 28-oz. pkg\$0<br>5-lb. bag<br>10-lb. bag | .50 | 50-1b. | bag\$1.85<br>bag 3.00 |
|--|-----|--------|-----------------------|
| Five 50-lb. bags<br>Ten 50-lb. bags      |     |        |                       |

SULPHATE OF AMMONIA. 5 lbs. 80c; 10 lbs. \$1.35; 25 lbs. \$3.25.

SUPERPHOSPHATE (18% Normal Phosphate). 5 lbs. 60c; 10 lbs. \$1.00; 25 lbs. \$2.00; 80 lbs. \$3.00.

#### TERRA-LITE Brand VERMICULITE

Terra-Lite is a brand of Vermiculite especially developed for horticulture. Used for seed germination, rooting cuttings, soil lightening, drainage and bulb or tuber storage. 4-qt. bag 39c; ½-bu. bag 85c; 2-bu. bag \$1.85; 3% bu. \$2.35.

TOBACCO DUST. See page 57.

TOBACCO STEMS. Used for fumigating plants to kill insects, and as a mulch for roses, asters, lettuce, etc. Bale of about 100 lbs. \$2.25.

#### VERTAGREEN

5-10-5

| PLANT   | FO   | OD | FOR     |
|---------|------|----|---------|
| LAWNS,  | , FI | OW | ERS.    |
| VEGETAE |      |    |         |
| Lb      |      |    | .\$0.15 |
| 5 lbs   |      |    |         |
| 10 lbs  |      |    |         |
| 25 lbs  |      |    |         |
| 50 lbs  |      |    |         |
| 100 lbs |      |    | . 4.55  |





#### **VIGORO**

COMPLETE PLANT FOOD FOR LAWNS, TREES, SHRUBS, FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES

6-10-4

| Lb\$0.15 | 25 lbs  | \$1.70 |
|----------|---------|--------|
| 5 lbs    | 50 lbs  | 2.80   |
| 10 lbs   | 100 lbs | 4.55   |

#### RA-PID-GRO

A concentrated plant food instantly soluble in water and immediately available to plants. Can be fed at the roots or through the foliage. Contains all of the known chemicals, trace elements and vitamins necessary for growth and production and for vigorous, healthy plant life. Nitrogen derived from urea. Analysis 23-21-17. Use it on vegetables, flowers, lawns, tree, evergreens, roses, house plants, etc.

| 2-oz. envelope\$0.25 | 5-lb. can\$4.50 |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| 8-oz. can            | 10-lb. can 8.75 |
| 1-lb. can 1.25       | 25-1b. drum     |
| 2-lb. can            |                 |

#### **TAKE HOLD PLUS (10-52-17)**

Plant Food plus Root-Developing Hormone

A good soluble plant food for house and garden plants. Can be used on cuttings, or when transplanting, and can also be used to feed your lawn, shrubs or trees. 4-oz. can 50c.

#### SPHAGNUM MOSS

|                                   | seeds in flats. Seedlings won't |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| dampen off if grown in this moss. |                                 |
| 1/8 bale\$1.00                    | Full bale\$6.00                 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ bale                |                                 |

#### AGRINITE

100% Organic Plant Food Non Burning—Clean—Dry—Odorless 8% Organic Nitrogen

#### HAVAHART ANIMAL TRAPS

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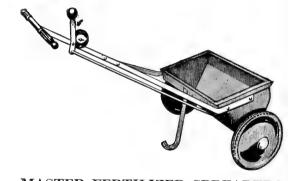
Made of the finest seamless rubber. The metal spray disc is rustproof. Ideal for sprinkling flowers, seedlings, plants and clothes

| before froning.    |      |
|--------------------|------|
| Model A (4 ozs.)\$ | 0.40 |
| Model B (8 ozs.)   | 1.00 |
| Model C (14 ozs.)  | 1.50 |



#### HOZON NOZZLE

Now your ordinary garden hose can be used to apply all soluble fertilizers and chemicals. You simply connect your Hozon between the water faucet and the hose, or between two lengths of hose not more than 50 feet from the nozzle. Hozon's small rubber suction tube and strainer are dropped into a pail of concentrated solution. Hozon sucks up the solution and mixes it with water as you sprinkle. The diluted mixture will not harm the hose. \$2.25.



## MASTER FERTILIZER SPREADERS

Master Model 25 D-(18-inch).

20-lb. capacity. All steel construction with tubular steel handle, rubber handle grip. Steel wheels with rubber tires. For the customer who wants "something better" in a small spreader. \$10.25.

Master Model 30—(18-inch).

50-lb. capacity. All steel construction tubular steel handle with two "bicycle type" rubber grips. Rubber tires. Finest home lawn spreader ever developed. \$12.95.

Master Model 40—(24-inch).

The answer to the increasing demand for a quality 24-inch spreader for the larger lawn. This spreader contains the exclusive "Fertilizer-Miser" fingertip control. Tubular steel T handle with rubber grips. 60 to 75-lb. capacity. 11-inch double disc wheels, semi-pneumatic tires. Welded construction built to last for years. All-steel corrosion-resistant finish. \$19.95.

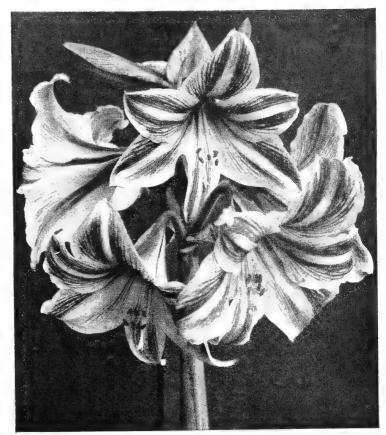


## **AMARYLLIS**

Giant California Mixed Hybrids

Among the most popular bulbs for growing indoors. Choose a pot only an inch larger than the bulb, and set so that the neck of the bulb is uncovered. Water well, keep in a dark place about four weeks, and then bring into full light. We offer bulbs 3½ inches in diameter. All colors mixed—white, red, pink with varied markings. 85c each; 3 for \$2.25; \$8.50 per doz.

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**AMARYLLIS** 



#### TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS

These richly colored, waxy-petaled blooms have become very popular in the last few years. The large flowers come in a wide range of colors and are produced in abundance when grown in a location that suits them. They need semi-shade, rich soil and plenty of moisture. Bulbs may be started indoors in late winter and set outside when warm weather comes; or they may be planted directly outside about mid-May.

Double Camellia Type. Colors include pink, white, yellow, orange and red. Largest bulbs, 2 in. and up, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

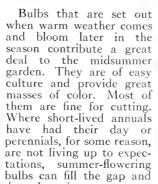
### **GLADIOLUS**

One of the most satisfactory of all summerflowering bulbs, making a wonderful show both in the garden and when cut for home decoration. We offer a special collection of this old favorite, 12 bulbs packed in a carton, each a distinct and different variety, 85c per box. See page 47.

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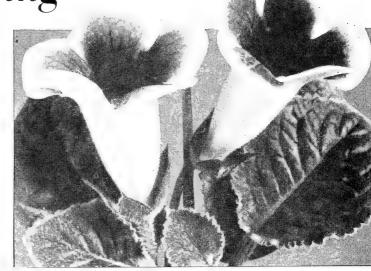
# Summer-Flowering

**TIGRIDIA** \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100 See page 48



do real service.

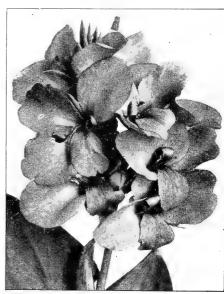
**BULBS** 



GLOXINIAS. 50c each; \$5.00 per doz. See page 48



FANCY-LEAVED CALADIUM 50c each; \$5.00 per doz. See page 48



CANNA. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz. See page 48



LILIUM TENUIFOLIUM Pkt. 15c See page 45



LILIUM REGALE. Pkt. 15c; 1/80z. 55c. See page 45

# NEW THINGS FOR YOUR GARDEN

# SOIL CONDITIONERS

FOR BEST RESULTS ALL SOIL CONDITIONERS MUST BE WORKED INTO THE SOIL



Now! In your vegetable and flower beds, around shrubs and for potted house plants, KRILIUM turns hard clay into loose, loam-like soil. It will help you make new lawns on raw graded clay. Five pounds will cover 160 square feet 1½ inches deep. Lb. \$1.39; 5 lbs. \$4.95.

**KRILIUM 100% ACTIVE LOAMAKER.** For large lawns, gardens, greenhouses, etc. One pound will treat:

| To a depth of            | In Silty      | In Com-      |
|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| •                        | Clay          | mon Clay     |
| ½ in                     | .600 sq. ft.  | 400 sq. ft.  |
| 1 in                     | .300 sq. ft.  | 200 sq. ft.  |
| 2 in                     |               | 100 sq. ft.  |
| 3 in                     | , 100 sq. ft. | 65 sq. ft.   |
| 6 in                     | . 50 sq. ft.  | 35 sq. ft.   |
| 10 lbs. \$25.00; 25 lbs. | \$58.75;501   | bs. \$102.50 |

Du PONT SOIL CONDITIONER. A wettable flake. Reduces erosion and increases water absorption and availability to plants in clay-type soils. Reduces surface caking and crusting. Eight ounces treats 100 square feet of surface. Work up soil, then apply Du PONT SOIL CONDITIONER mixed with water. 4 ozs. \$1.75; 8 ozs. \$2.75; 2 lbs. \$9.00.



ACP SOIL CONDITION-ER. A combination of the two most advanced soil conditioners, along with essential elements, trace elements and plant hormones in proportions best suited to promote soil aggregation and plant vigor. Can be spread as

a dry powder or dispersed in water and sprinkled with watering can. Half pound covers 40 square feet to a depth of 3 inches. ½1b. \$1.00; 2½ lbs. \$3.55; 10 lbs. \$10.90.

JIFFY SOIL CONDITIONER. A wettable flake to be mixed with water. Eight ounces covers 100 square feet of surface. 4 ozs. \$1.25; 8 ozs. \$2.10; 32 ozs. \$7.60.

# BIG STINKY FLY TRAP



#### Outdoor Fly Trapping

Catches flies before they get indoors
—large flesh flies,
house flies, green
bottle flies, blow flies.
Presence of control
fluid aids in producing a potent scent
attractive to filthcarrying flies. Lures
those in the immediate vicinity, away
from the house, barn,
stock pens. Big
Stinky attracts only
flies—not beneficial
insects.



½-gal. Big Stinky Fly Trap complete with 8-oz. bottle of control fluid, \$4.49. 1-gal. Big Stinky Fly Trap complete with 8oz. bottle of control fluid, \$4.95. Extra Bottles of Control Fluid, \$1.50. BERRY SET. A hormone spray for bigger strawberries, raspberries, blackberries. Berries have fewer seeds and bear fruit over a longer period of time. 25c size makes 2 gallons. ½2c. 25c; oz. 50c; 3 ozs. \$1.00.

#### BLOSSOM SET NO-SEED HORMONE. Stops tomato blossom rot and makes plants set fruit. Many are seedless tomatoes because blossom is set without pollen. Four ounces makes one gallon. 4 ozs. 75c; pt. \$1.75.

D.X. AERO-SPRAY. Pratt's aersol-type spray bomb for controlling insects on flowering and foliage house plants. Contains three powerful insecticides: pyrethrum, rotenone and piperonyle cyclonene. Safe and effective on all house plants. 10 ozs. \$1.50.

VIOL-OGEN KIT. A perfect gift for the African violet enthusiast. Contains potting soil, rooting medium, insect spray and plant food in an attractive green and white box. \$2.95.

MALATHON 50% BLACK LEAF. A safe control for mites, aphids and insects. Similar to Parathion but only one hundredth as toxic. Controls European red mite, Willamette mites, clover mites, aphids, white flies and similar insects infesting apples, pears, ornamentals and flowers. Oz. 49c; 5 ozs. \$1.39; pt. \$2.98; qt. \$5.29.

OVOTOX. An all-round evergreen spray. Protect evergreens and shrubs with this new all-in-one ovicide-insecticide-fungicide that controls all diseases of evergreens, shade trees and shrubs. Keeps plants free of red spider, defoliating worms and beetles. Safe to use anywhere. 1/21b. \$1.60; lb. \$2.90.

A. C. P. CRABGRASS KILLER. Potassium Cyanate plus M.C.P. for control of Crabgrass and Broadleaf weeds. 6½ ozs. \$1.25; 26 ozs. \$3.75; 6 lbs. \$9.70.

A. C. P. FRUIT TREE SPRAY. 12 ozs. \$1.00; 3 lbs. \$2.75.

# ENJOY YOUR LAWN

CHLORDANE gives lasting control of chiggers on your lawn. One application of Chlordane will last up to six weeks.

CHLORDANE—Synklor 48-E. A 48% liquid emulsion. ½ pint will cover approximately 1000 sq. ft. ½pt. \$1.25; gal. \$8.00.

CHLORDANE. Black Leaf 45% Spray. Oz. 39c; 5 ozs. \$1.09; pt. \$2.39; qt. \$4.19.

CHLORDANE. Science Products—45% emulsion. Oz. 39c; 4 ozs. 75c; ½pt. \$1.25; pt. \$1.95; qt. \$3.25; gal. \$8.15.

CHLORDANE. Synklor 50-W. A 50% Wettable Powder. 8 ozs. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50;
5 lbs. \$5.65; 10 lbs. \$10.80.

CHLORDANE. Pratts 50-W. A 50% Wettable Powder. ½1b. \$1.35; 1b. \$2.25;
5 1bs. \$5.50.

CHLORDANE. Acme 6% Dust—not to be mixed, to be used just as it is. Lb. 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.50.

**CHLORDANE.** Niagara 6% Dust. **Lb. 55c**; **4 lbs. \$1.55**.

CHLORDANE. Hammond's 5% Dust. Lb. 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.50; 25 lbs. \$6.00.

CHLORDANE. Black Leaf 5% Dust. Lb. 49c; 41bs. \$1.39.

CHLORDANE. 45% Emulsion, Swift's A. R. C. (Ant, Roach and Chigger Killer.) 6 ozs. 98c; pt. \$1.95.

G & O CHIGGER DUST. A combination dust for control of chiggers on your lawn. Ready to use in a handy 1-lb. can. Lb. \$1.25



A. C. P. ROSE AND FLORAL DUST. 1-lb. \$1.49; 3 lbs. \$3.59.

# WEED and CRABGRASS CONTROLS

Selective Weed Killers



#### PLUS WEED-KILLING 2, 4-D

The new double-acting Wedo is a scientific balanced formula of lawn-feeding elements plus weed-killing 2, 4-D. At last you can enjoy the beauty of a velvety green, weed-free lawn. One application feeds grasses and kills weeds. Clean, granular. Simply apply with lawn spreader over your entire lawn area. 25 lbs. will cover a lawn 40 ft. by 40 ft. Packed in four convenient sizes. 7½ lbs. \$1.00; 25 lbs. \$2.75; 50 lbs. \$4.00; 100 lbs. \$6.90.

NEW IMPROVED WEED-



ONE. Contains powerful 2, 4, 5-T and 2, 4-D, the two most effective chemicals for killing lawn weeds, poison ivy, poison oak, plantain, honey-suckle, dandelion and over 90 other weeds and woody plants. Non-poisonous to animals or humans. Won't hurt ordinary lawns. 8-oz. can \$1.00; qt. \$2.75; gal. \$6.95.

WEEDONE 32 BRUSH
KILLER. Weedone 2, 4,
5-T and 2,4-D Brush
Killer has been especially
designed to kill woody
brush and stumps. Works
wonders on black locust,
poison ivy, poison oak,
horse-chestnut, willow,
virginia creeper, and
many other types of
brush. 1 to 1½ gals.
should treat about 1 acre.
Qt. \$4.00; gal. \$8.90.



Larger quantities quoted on request.

ORTHO WEED-B-GON. Selective 2,4-D Weed Killer for lawn weeds and woody plants. 4 ozs. 50c; 16 ozs. \$1.50.

WEED-NO-MORE. Kills weeds in lawns. 8-oz. bottle (covers 1400 sq. ft.) \$1.00; qt. (treats 6400 sq. ft.) \$2.98.

WEEDUST 2,4-D DUST. in 12-oz. siftertop can for easy application and spotting of weed patches. 12-oz. can 75c.

DU PONT'S LAWN WEED KILLER. A concentrated 2, 4-D in liquid form. Rids lawns safely of many broad-leaved weeds. 32-oz. can treats almost ½ acre. 8 ozs. \$1.00; 32 ozs. \$2.95.



END-O-WEED. Spray weeds away! Kills over 100 lawn weeds—roots, stems and all—without harming ordinary grass or soil. ½pt. treats 2000 sq. ft. of lawn. ½pt. 98c; qt. \$2.69.

## Non-Selective Weed Killers

AMMATE WEED KILLER. Effective for control of poison ivy, ragweed, Canada thistle, dandelion, plantain and many other weeds. Use ½ to 1 lb. to gal. of water, 1 gal. solution to 100 sq. ft. of infested area. Non-selective in action. 2-lb. jar \$1.00; 6-lb. bottle \$2.70. Larger quantities quoted on request.



ACME WEED KILLER. A highly toxic, non-selective plant killer. Dilute one to 50 or one to 100. Pt. 65c; qt. 90c; gal. \$2.40; 5 gals. \$9.00.

G & O WEED AND POISON IVY KILLER. Dilute 1 qt. to 50 qts. water to treat 200 sq. ft. Pt. 50c; qt. 85c; gal. \$2.10; 5 gals. \$9.50.

HAMMOND'S WEED KILLER. Weeds, poison ivy and all vegetation are easily destroyed with this highly concentrated, easy-to-use material. Dilute with 40 parts of water. Apply with sprinkling can. Qt. 70c; gal. \$2.00; 5 gals. \$9.00. Larger quantities on request.

ORTHO TRIOX WEED KILLER. A nonselective arsenical weed killer. Kills all vegetation and sterilizes the soil. 32 ozs. \$1.00; gal. \$3.50.

DU PONT'S SODIUM T.C.A. For control of quack grass, Johnson grass and Bermuda grass. 10 lbs. \$6.90.

SODIUM ARSENITE. For the control of crabgrass and other weeds. Gal. \$3.75.



WEEDONE APPLICATORS. For application of 2, 4-D. A plastic siphon with sprinkler-type head. Will fit any standard thread jug. 59c each.

# **Crabgrass Killers**



WEEDONE CRABGRASS KILLER. A new herbicide containing potassium cyanate for eliminating crabgrass and chickweed from lawns without killing clover, blue grass, fescue or other deep-rooted perennial grasses. Easy and economical to use; 5 ozs. in 7 gals. of water treats

in 7 gals, of water treats 1000 sq. ft. of crabgrass in seedling stage. Use double dosage on chickweed or mature crabgrass. Has no toxic effect on soil. Relatively non-poisonous to man. 6½-oz. can \$1.00; 26-oz. can \$3.00; 6½ lbs. \$8.85.

CRAB-NOT. Standard Formula. Contains potassium cyanate. 4-oz. can treats about 1400 sq. ft. 4 ozs. \$1.00; 16 ozs. \$2.95; 6 lbs. \$10.95.

CRAB-NOT. Special Formula. Contains both 2, 4-D and potassium cyanate for control of chickweed, broadleaf weeds and crabgrass in one treatment. 4 ozs. \$1.25; 16 ozs. \$3.50; 6 lbs. \$12.50.

PRATT'S POTASSIUM CYANATE. Crabgrass and chickweed killer. 5 ozs. \$1.00; 18 ozs. \$2.75; 6 lbs. \$10.50.

DU PONT CRABGRASS KILLER. Contains potassium cyanate for control of crabgrass and chickweed. 7½-oz. bottle treats 750 to 1500 sq. ft. 7½ ozs. \$1.00; 30 ozs. \$2.95.

BLACK-LEAF CRABGRASS KILLER. For control of crabgrass and chickweed. 4 ozs. treats 500 sq. ft. 4 ozs. 79c; 8 ozs. \$1.39; lb. \$2.49.

END-O-WEED CRABGRASS KILLER. Potassium cyanate for crabgrass and chickweed. 7 ozs. treats 1400 sq. ft. 7 ozs. 98c; 22 ozs. \$2.59.

ZOTOX CRABGRASS KILLER. Will also control chickweed. 16-oz. bottle treats up to 2000 sq. ft. 8 ozs. \$1.00; 16 ozs. \$1.50; 32 ozs. \$2.50; 5 lbs. \$4.50.



This 3½-gal. Copper Tank with three-nozzle boom and cart is the ideal sprayer for applying weed killers, insecticides and liquid fertilizers on your lawn. With this sprayer you can cover a 50 x 100 ft. Iawn in only ten minutes. \$23.60.



# Insecticides to Control Chewing and Sucking Insects

ARAMITE 15-W. A sensational new miticide for control of red spider, chiggers and other mite pests. 4 12 ozs. \$2.00; 4 lbs. \$2.75. 4 ozs. \$1.00;

ARSENATE OF LEAD. Kills leaf-eating insects. 1/2lb. 44c; 1-lb. carton 70c; 1-lb. bag 65c; 4-lb. bag \$1.70.
BENZENE HEXACHLORIDE (BHC). Con-

trols spittle-bug nymphs, grasshoppers and

Acme Lindane 5%. Controls insects three ways, when eaten, by contact, by fumiga-tion. Must be used before the fruit or vegetable has set on the plant. 4 ozs. 80c; pt. \$2.70.

Black-Leaf Lindane 10%. Oz. 39c;

5 ozs. \$1.19.

du Pont's Lexone 10-W (BHC). A 10% wettable dust. Lb. 90c; 6-lb. bag \$3.35.

Isotox. 4 ozs. \$1.00.

Niagara Aphis Dust (BHC). A 1.2% wettable dust. Use 8 to 12 tablespoonfuls per gallon of water. Lb. 70c; 4 lbs. \$2.10. BLACK-LEAF 40. A concentrated nicotine

solution for aphis, thrips and red spider. 1 ounce makes 6 gallons of spray. Oz. 36c; 5 ozs. \$1.05; lb. \$2.42; 2 lbs. \$4.15; 5 lbs. \$7.40; 10 lbs. \$12.65. CHLORDANE PRODUCTS. Recommended

insecticides for control of grasshoppers, ants, Japanese beetles, grubs, white grubs, ticks, moles, crickets, roaches and

wireworms.

Acme Chlordane. A 6% wettable dust. 1-lb. carton 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.50. Black-Leaf 5% Chlordane. Lb. 49c;

4 lbs. \$1.39.

Black-Leaf 45% Spray. Oz. 39c; 5 ozs. \$1.09; pt. \$2.39; qt. \$4.19. Pratt's 5% Chlordane. Lb. 60c; 4 lbs.

\$1.50.

\$1.30. Wettable Chlordane. ½lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.25. Synklor 50-W. A dry, wettable powder containing 50% chlordane. 8 ozs. \$1.50; 1b. \$2.50.

Synklor 48-E. A liquid emulsion of 48% chlordane. Use 2 to 3 teaspoonfuls per gallon of water. 8 ozs. \$1.25; gal. \$8.00. DAIRY CATTLE SPRAY (du Pont's). A wettable powder containing 50% wettable methoxychlor to control insects on dairy cattle and in dairy barns. 4 ozs. 45c; 1-lb. canister \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.20.

DAIRY BARN INSECTICIDE (du Pont's.) Contains methoxychlor and lindane. lasting spray for dairy barns and equipment.

Lb. \$1.60; 4 lbs. \$5.40. 50% WETTABLE DDT POWDER. 1-lb.

carton 90c; 4-lb. bag \$1.90. 75% WETTABLE DDT POWDER. Lb. \$1.30; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 4 lbs. \$2.85. PESTROY 25% LIQUID DDT. For un-

finished buildings or livestock. Qt. \$1.49;

PRATTS 25% LIQUID DDT. A high-quality liquid DDT for use on fruits, vegetables, flowers or unfinished buildings. Use 2 to 4 teaspoonfuls per gallon of water.

Use 2 to 4 teaspoontuls per gallon of water. ½pt. 85c; qt. \$2.00; gal. \$5.60. SHAWNEE 5% DDT DUST. A ready-to-use dust for agricultural crops. 2-lb. bag 50c; 4-lb. bag 90c; 25-lb. bag \$5.25. DX INSECT SPRAY. An effective spray for fruits, flowers and vegetables. Use 2 to

4 teaspoonfuls per gallon of water. 1-oz. bottle 35c; 4 ozs. \$1.00; ½pt. \$1.75; qt. \$5.50; gal. \$14.50. EVERGREEN GARDEN SPRAY. Non-

poisonous to humans; sure death to garden insects. 1 ounce makes 6 gallons. Oz. 35c;

6 ozs. \$1.15; pt. \$2.45; qt. \$4.10. METHOXYCHLOR (Marlate). 50% wettable methoxychlor. Recommended for use on plants and animals or buildings, as protection against Spittle Bug, beetles, ants, worms, flies. 8 ounces makes 17 gallons for plant use. 8-oz. can 75c; 4-lb. bag \$3.85. PARADICHLOROBENZENE. For killing

the peach-tree borer. 1 ounce will treat full-grown tree. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

PARASCALECIDE. For safe control of

peach borer via dipper method. 1 quart makes 8 quarts for use. ½pt. 75c; qt. \$1.45; gal. \$3.25; 5 gals. \$10.40. RED ARROW. May be used upon tender

foliage and flowers without burning staining. Oz. 35c; 4 ozs. \$1.00; pt. \$2.85. ACME GARDEN GUARD. .75% rotenone. 1-lb. carton 50c; 4-lb. bag 1% Dust \$1.00.

BLACK-LEAF ROTENONE DUST. 1.0% rotenone and 10% sulphur. Lb. 35c; 4 lbs. \$1.25; 25 lbs. \$5.15.

BOURBON. .75% rotenone. 1-lb. dust gun 35c; 1-lb. bag 30c; 2-lb. bag 50c; 5-lb. bag \$1.20.

HAMMOND'S ROTENONE DUST. Contains .75% rotenone and stabilizing agent. Use wet or dry. Lb. 40c; 4 lbs. \$1.10; 25 lbs. \$4.50.

SHAWNEE ACTIVATED ROTENONE. Contains 40% rotenone, sulphur and lethane. 2 lbs. 50c; 4 lbs. 90c; 25 lbs. \$4.50.

SHAWNEE. .75% rotenone and lethane. 2 lbs. 55c; 4 lbs. 95c; 25 lbs. \$5.10.

SHAWNEE. .75% rotenone and 3% DDT. Useful where bean beetles and leafhoppers are a problem. 2 lbs. 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.05; 25 lbs. \$5.65.

SABADILLA DUST (Shawnee). For controlling squash bugs, cabbage worms and leafhoppers. 2-1b. bag 55c; 4-1b. bag \$1.05.

SCALECIDE. This dormant oil spray is very effective against scale, aphis and red mite. 1 quart makes 15 quarts. Pt. 75c; qt. \$1.15; gal. \$2.75; 5 gals. \$9.30; 15 gals. \$22.00. Larger sizes quoted on request.

SNAROL PELLETS. Just as effective as meal; more convenient in many cases. Lb. 35c; 2½ lbs. 75c; 6 lbs. \$1.65.

SNAROL. An effective metaldehyde bait for controlling cutworms, slugs, snails and sowbugs. Simply scatter on the ground. Lb. 35c; 2½ lbs. 75c; 6 lbs. \$1.65.

TOBACCO DUST (Gold Leaf). Not less than 1.0% nicotine. 2 lbs. 30c; 10 lbs. \$1.05.

VOLCK OIL SPRAY. Effectively controls aphis, mealy bug, white fly, thrips, etc., Use 4 teaspoonfuls per quart of water. 4 ozs. 35c; pt. 70c; 31 ozs. \$1.25; gal. \$3.00.

# **Fungicides to Control** Mildew, Rust, Blackspot and Other Plant Diseases

BORDEAUX. One of the oldest and still most widely used protective fungicides to control blights, black rot, mildew, leaf curl and other diseases of plants. Lb. 50c;

COPPER A COMPOUND (du Pont). An insoluble fixed copper useful as a spray or dust to control blights, leaf spots, etc. Use tablespoonfuls per gallon of water. 6-1b. bag \$2.80.

CUPROCIDE (Shawnee). A ready-to-use fixed copper dust for control of blights and other diseases on tomatoes and potatoes. 2 lbs. 45c; 4 lbs. 85c.

FERMATE. See page 59.

FORMACIDE. A formaldehyde dust used to treat soil to prevent damping off of seedlings and cuttings. 8 ounces treats a bushel of soil. ½1b. 50c; 1b. 85c; 4 lbs. \$2.00.

LIME SULPHUR LIQUID, HORICUM.
1 gallon makes 7 to 10 gallons of spray.
Qt. 60c; gal. \$1.80; 5 gals. \$8.50.

LIME SULPHUR, DRY. For use in dormant spraying against scale, peach blight, leaf curl and twig borer. Used in summer for scab, blotch, red mite and red spider control. 1 pound makes 5 gallons of dormant spray. Lb. 65c; 5 lbs. \$2.65; 12½-lb. bag \$3.30.

ORTHO RIX. For mildew on roses. 16 ozs. 75c; 32 ozs. \$1.25; gal. \$4.00.

PARZATE (Fungicide A). See page 59.

#### **SULPHUR**

ACME WETTABLE DUSTING SUL-PHUR. 2 lbs. 59c.

**DUPONT MICROFINE SULFURON. 61bs** 

NIAGARA WETTABLE DUSTING SUL-PHUR. 2-lb. canister 50c.

FLOUR OF SULPHUR. For chiggers, etc. 50-lb. bag \$3.50.

#### TOMATO DUSTS

ACME TOMATO DUST. Contains 15% fixed copper plus an insecticide to control hornworms, etc. Use 10 tablespoonfuls per gallon to make a spray. Lb.

60c; 4 lbs. \$1.50.



BONIDE TOMATOX. For blight and insect control. Lb. 65c; 4 lbs. \$1.80.

BONIDE TOMATO DUST. For control of blights. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.45.

DUPONT TOMATO DUST. Controls early and late blight; kills insect pests. 8-oz. dust gun 69c; 2 lbs. 85c.

HAMMOND TOMATO DUST. 1-lb. bag 60c; 4 lbs. \$1.80.

ZERLATE. An organic fungicide for certain vegetables and fruits. 3-1b. bag \$2.75.

# ALL-PURPOSE SPRAYS OR DUSTS

## For Control of Both Insects and Diseases

BLACK-LEAF GARDEN DUST OR SPRAY. Contains nicotine, pyrethrum, rotenone and fermate, for use on flowers and vegetables. To make a spray use 1 tablespoonful per quart of water. ½-lb. dust gun 79c; lb. \$1.15.
ENDOPEST. The protection all gardens

need from chewing and sucking insects and fungous diseases. Safe to use on edible fruits and vegetables right up to the day of harvest. 8-oz. dust gun 85c; 8-oz. refill

65c; 2 lbs. \$1.79.

FLORAL DUST, du Pont. See page 59. ROSE DUST, du Pont. See page 59.

ORTHO VEGETABLE DUST. A balanced formula to control insects and plant diseases in your vegetable garden. 8-oz. dust gun \$1.00; 1-lb. refill \$1.00.

ORTHO ROSE DUST. A multi-purpose dust for control of insects and plant diseases. 8-oz. duster \$1.00; 1-lb. refill

#### FRUIT TREE SPRAYS

Du PONT FRUIT TREE SPRAY. Contains sulphur, fermate, methoxychlor and rotenone. 1 pound makes 13 gallons. Lb. \$1.15; 3 lbs. \$2.75.

ORTHO HOME ORCHARD SPRAY.

Nothing else needed; controls most all insects and diseases on fruit trees. ½1b. \$1.00; lb. \$1.75; 2½ lbs. \$3.95. KOLO—NIAGARA FRUIT TREE SPRAY.

A complete spray for the home orchard. Contains sulphur, DDT and arsenate of lead. Lb. 60c; 3 lbs. \$1.50.

BONIDE TREE-TOX FRUIT TREE SPRAY. A complete fruit tree spray or dust for control of insects and diseases. Contains sulphur, fermate, DDT and chlordane. Use 2 to 8 tablespoonfuls per gallon of water. Lb. \$1.05; 4 lbs. \$3.25.

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PRATT'S FRUIT TREE SPRAY. Contains sulphur, DDT and basic lead arsenate for the control of many chewing and sucking insects and fungus diseases on apples pears, peaches, plums and ornamentals. May be used as a dust or spray. 1-lb. sifter-top can 85c; 3-lb. bag \$1.50.

NEUDUST 5% DDT FOR GLADIOLUS. To protect against bulb diseases and pests. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.35.

NEW POMO-GREEN. Insecticide, fungicide for roses. 1-lb. sifter-top can \$1.00; 4-lb. bag \$3.00.

ACME RED RIVER POTATO MIX. (Containing DDT.) DDT has been added to Red River Potato Mix, increasing its effectiveness against leafhopper and psyllid. Will also kill potato bugs as well as stimulate growth of foliage. Us or spray. Lb. 80c; 4 lbs. \$2.60. Use as dust

PRATT'S GARDEN AND ROSE DUST.
All-purpose garden dust. Controls sucking and chewing insects and fungous diseases on flowers and vegetables. 1-lb. handy dust gun \$1.35; 1-lb. sifter-top can 95c; SLUG SHOT. Powerfully effective against leaf-eating insects and plant diseases. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.95.

SPERGON GLADIOLUS DUST. A dust containing Spergon and DDT to be applied to corms before planting, in order to help control rot and thrips. May also be used on tulips, narcissus and iris. 2-oz. envelope 25c; lb. \$1.50.



TRI-OGEN ROSE SPRAY. outstanding rose spray. It has lead arsenate, pyrethrum, tenone and fermate to control leaf - eating in-sects as well as plant diseases. E Kit. Protects 6 to 10 bushes.

\$1.50.

A Kit. Protects 12 to 20 bushes \$2.35. B Kit. Protects 50 to 80 bushes \$6.00. C Kit. Protects 100 to 160 bushes \$9.00.

D Kit. Protects 400 to 600 bushes \$30.00.

TRI-OGEN DUST. Contains fermate and sulphur plus insecticides and miticide. Controls eating insects, sucking insects, mildew, blackspot, etc. Same results accomplished as with spray form of Tri-Ogen. Lb. \$1.19; 5 lbs. \$5.00.

# Miscellaneous

CHAPERONE (Liquid). Spray hedges, garbage cans, etc., if you want to keep dogs or cats away. 4 ozs. 60c; 8 ozs. \$1.00.

CROW REPELLENT (Stanley). Seed preserver for corn. ½-pt. can is enough for 1 bushel seed. ½pt. 60c; pt. \$1.00; qt.

DOGZOFF. The efficient animal repellent that won't damage plants. Now packed in a handy, economical Aerosol dispenser. 3-oz. bottle 75c; 11-oz. Aerosol \$2.25; pt. \$2.50; qt. \$4.00.

DORMATONE. For the treatment of potatoes and other root crops to restrain sprouting and reduce shrinkage while in storage. 12 ounces treats 11 bushels. 12-oz. can \$1.00; 5-lb. can \$5.50.

FUMEOGEN. A little Fumeogen spread lightly on the soil around shrubs or plants will protect them from cats, dogs and rabbits. 8-oz. can 50c.

GRAFTING WAX. 1/4lb. 35c; 1/2lb. 50c;

KAPSULATE (Sodium Selenate). capsule form for control of pests on Áfrican violets and other house plants. Safe, easy to use. One capsule protects one plant three to four months. Envelope of 5 capsules 25c; box of 25 plus 2½ ozs. of Plant Food, \$1.00. MARVEL SPRAY. For African violets. Controls mealy bugs on African violets and other house plants. 4 ozs. \$1.00.

NAPHTHALENE FLAKES. Useful in controlling gladiolus and cyclamen thrips, as well as certain soil insects, moles, etc. Lb. 40c; 5 lbs. \$1.75; 25 lbs. \$7.75.

PARADICHLOROBENZENE, See page 57.

ROOTICATE. Controls and eliminates root growth in sewers and drains. Easy to use. 2-lb. bag enough for average home. 2 lbs. 90c.

ROOTONE. A hormone powder for rooting cuttings, dusting seeds or bulbs. 1/4-oz. pkg. 25c; 2-oz. jar (will treat up to 3000 cuttings) \$1.00.

SOIL ACIDIFIER. Acid soil for azaleas, rhododendrons, blueberries. 11/2 lbs. covers 100 sq. ft. of surface. 5 lbs. \$1.35.

SPERGON. A seed protectant in powder form to be applied to seed before planting. to prevent seed decay and damping off particularly in cold, wet weather. Recommended for peas, beans, lima beans, corn and other seeds. It is easy to apply to the seed and non-injurious to the user. 1-oz. envelope 25c; 5-oz. container \$1.00.

SPRAY CATALIZER (Pratts). A safener, spreader and sticker to be used with sulphur, lime sulphur and lead arsenate. 2 lbs. 90c.

SPREADER STICKER (du Pont). A combined spreader, sticker and wetting agent. Pt. \$1.35.

STOP (Acme). A tree-banding compound to be painted around the trunks to keep insects from crawling into the trees. Lb. \$1.05; 7½ lbs. \$6.25.

TRANSPLANTONE. For the treatment of plants when transplanting. Contains the root-forming hormones and vitamin B-1. Reduces wilt and makes roots grow. ½-oz. pkt. (treats 800 plants) 25c; 3-oz. jar \$1.00.

TREE KOTE. A tree-wound dressing and pruning compound. Pt. 55c; qt. 75c; gal. \$2.00.

TREE TANGLEFOOT. The original sticky compound for banding trees and shrubs. 6 ozs. 90c; lb. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$7.00.

TREE WOUND PAINT. Prevents decay and disease after pruning. Not affected by heat, cold or moisture. ½pt. 65c; pt. heat, cold or moisture. 1/2 \$1.20; qt. \$2.10; gal. \$6.50.

# SPRAY MATERIALS (



# SEED DISINFECTANTS





VEGETABLE GARDEN DUST. Kills bugs and controls disease. No plant injury-safe to use up to harvest time on vegetable plants. Through its methoxychlor and rotenone content, it controls beetles, certain aphids, squash vine borers and many other insects. Its fungicide, Parzate, is unsurpassed in ability to control late and early blight of tomatoes and potatoes, downy

mildew of squash, cucumbers and melons. Use as a spray or dust. 8-oz. dust gun 79c; 1-lb. canister \$1.15; 3-lb. bag \$2.65.

FRUIT TREE SPRAY. See page 58.



FLORAL DUST. An all-round spray or dust designed especially for the home flower garden. Gets rid of insects and prevents diseases. Contains methoxychlor and rotenone to control insects, fermate and sulphur for diseases, Use as a dust or spray. 8-oz. dust gun 79c; 1-lb. sifter-top can \$1.15; 3-lb. bag \$2.65.

FUNGICIDE A (Parzate). This is du Pont's newly developed bis-dithiocarbamate fungicide. Simplifies control of certain diseases such as early and late blight of tomatoes and potatoes, downy mildew of cucum-

ber, cantaloupes and other cucurbits, rust and anthracnose of beans. Can be used as a spray or dust. 6-oz. can 85c; 3-lb. bag \$3.30.

**DEENATE. 75%** wettable DDT. Properly used, DDT is still one of the gardener's most effective insecticides; also valuable for use on lawns and around buildings. Lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 4 lbs. \$2.85.

DORMANT SPRAY OIL. For scale insects. 1 qt. makes 8 gals. of spray for fruit and shade trees, 12 gals. for ornamentals. Qt. \$1.15.

DAIRY CATTLE SPRAY. See page 57.



FERMATE. The new organic fungicide which is especially effective on fruits, flowers, greenhouse crops, ornamentals and certain vegetables. Used extensively to control blue mold on tobacco. Circulars with complete information on request. 8-oz. canister 75c; 3-lb. bag \$2.75.

MARLATE (50% Methoxychlor). Safe to use on tender plants and on vegetable crops right up until harvest time. Kills bean beetles, potato beetles, flea beetles, Japanese beetles, cabbage worms and many other insects. May be used as a dust or spray. 8-oz. canister 75c; 4-lb. bag \$3.85.

LAWN WEED KILLER. 2, 4D in liquid form. Rids lawns safely of many broad-leaved weeds. 32-oz. can treats almost  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre. 8 ozs. \$1.00; 32 ozs. \$2.95.

ROSE DUST. A control for blackspot, powdery mildew, rust and other foliage diseases of roses. Contains fermate and sulphur. May be used as a dust or spray. 8-oz. dust gun 69c. Lb. \$1.00.

SULFURON. A micro-fine wettable sulphur. 6 lbs. 95c.

ZERLATE. An organic preventive fungicide best adapted for use on vegetable plants. Should be applied in advance of infection. 3-lb. bag \$2.75.

CERESAN "M." The new non-irritant dust or slurry treatment for small grains. 14 ounces treats 28 bushels. 14 ozs. \$1.25; 3 lbs. \$3.55. Circular on request.

NEW IMPROVED CERESAN. For Seed Grains. Full directions furnished. 4 ozs.

SEMESAN. For Flower and Vegetable Seeds. Full directions furnished. pkt. 20c; 2 ozs. 60c; 12 ozs. \$2.85; 4 lbs. \$11.00.

SEMESAN BEL. For Seed Potatoes. Full directions furnished. 2 ozs. 50c; 1b. \$2.30; 4 lbs. \$7.50.

SEMESAN JR. For Field and Sweet Corn Seed. 1½ ounces treat 1 pound shelled corn. 1½ oz. 17c; 12 ozs. 62c; 61/4 lbs. \$3.46.

ARASAN. For corn, peanuts and vegetables. Grass and legume seeds at 8 ounces per hundredweight. 3/40z. 25c; 8 ozs. \$1.00; 4 lbs. \$6.00; 25 lbs. \$30.00; 100 lbs. \$115.00.

SPECIAL SEMESAN. For large brown patch and dollar spot. 1 pound treats 6000 square feet. 5 ozs. 70c.

F-531. A cadmium fungicide for control of dollar spot on golf courses, lawns and other fine turfs. Lb. \$2.10; 4 lbs. \$6.75; 25 lbs. \$37.50; 100 lbs. \$140.00.

TERSAN. For prevention or control of dollar spot, large brown patch and snow-mold on all fine turfs. 8 ozs. 50% Tersan 80c; 3 lbs. 75% Tersan \$6.75.

# ANT, MOUSE, RABBIT, RAT, ROACH AND MOLE CONTROLS

ANT DUST. A specially blended chlordane dust for controlling ants in homes, lawns and gardens. 6 ozs. 35c; lb. 60c.

ANTROL ANT TRAPS. Kills both sweet and grease-eating ants. 25c each.

ANTROL ANT AND ROACH BOMB. A handy spray to eradicate ants and roach pests. \$1.39 each.

ANTROL READY FILLED FEEDER SETS. Four special glass feeders filled with Antrol syrup. Ants carry the syrup to their nests, often killing the whole colony. 39c per set.

BIG STINKY FLY TRAP. See page 55.

CYANOGAS ANT KILLER. 4-oz. spout can contains enough Cyanogas to treat average lawn or garden. 4 ozs. 40c.

FORCE'S MOLE KILLER. No traps; no gas. True mole food scent attracts and kills moles. Pellet form. 35 pellets 30c; 75 pellets 60c; 185 pellets \$1.00.

MOLE NOTS. A specially prepared mole food. In prepared bait form. Pkg. 35c; large size \$1.00.

MOUSE NOTS. For house or garden. Impregnated prepared bait. No mixing; no traps. Pkg. 25c; large size \$1.00.

NO NIB'L RABBIT REPELLENT. An effective taste repellent that can be used as a dust or spray. Apply to plants or flowers. 6-oz. shaker-top can 98c.

RABBIT REPELLENT (G&O). 5-lb. bag will treat 100 to 150 individual plants or 200 to 250 running feet of plant row (one Full directions for use on package. Lb. 50c; 5 lbs. \$1.75.

RAT NOTS. Contains red squill in prepared bait form. No mixing. Non-poisonous to pets. Pkg. 25c; large size \$1.00.

ROACHPAINT ROACH KILLER. An amazing new liquid that controls all species of roaches. No unsightly residue. Pt. 75c; qt. \$1.25.

TAT MO-GO. Poison peanut which, when eaten by moles, brings sure death to them. Trial size 45c;  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

TERRO ANT KILLER. Trial size bottle 25c; 3 ozs. 50c.

TERRO ROACH KILLER. Kills roaches, water bugs. 4-oz. shaker-top can 35c.

WARFARIN RAT KILLER. This sensational new rat control is offered in three forms: A 5% concentrate used 1 to 19 parts with suitable bait, and two ready-touse forms, mash or pellets.

Black Leaf Concentrate. %oz. 49c; 4 ozs. \$1.69; 8 ozs. \$2.98; lb. \$4.98.

Black Leaf Ready Mixed. Lb. 79c; 5 lbs. \$2.98; 25 lbs. \$12.48.

Hopkins Concentrate. 4 ozs. \$1.75; 8 ozs. \$3.00; 1b. \$5.00.

Hopkins Redi-Mix Mash. Lb. 80c; 21/2 lbs. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$2.85.

Hopkins Redi-Mix Pellets. Lb. 95c; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.25.

# LAWN AND GARDEN EQUIPMENT







# **BASKETS**

-OAK MARKET BASKET

No. 21-1. Size  $18 \times 10\frac{1}{2}$ x 6 in. deep. \$1.30. **No. 21-3.** Size  $22 \times 13\frac{1}{2}$ x 7 in. deep. \$1.75.

B.—OAK PICKING BASKET

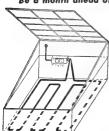
½-bu. size \$1.50. 3/4-bu. size. \$1.70.

C.—FLOWER AND FRUIT BASKET

Suitable for picking flowers, berries, vegetables, etc. Will hold six 1-quart baskets. No. 72-2. Size 20 x 13 x 4 in. deep. \$1.30.

# GRO-QUICK " ELECTRIC SEED

Be a month ahead of neighboring gardens



For hotbeds, coldframes and plant benches. Operates on household current. Has adjust-able thermostat and pilot light. Will last for years.

JUNIOR QUICK (for 6x3ft. bed). Has 40 ft. of 200-watt cable. \$6.75, prepaid.

SENIOR GRO-QUICK (for 6 x 6-ft. bed). Has 80 ft. of 400-watt cable. \$9.00, prepaid.

# LABELS (Wooden Painted)

| 100                      | 1000   |
|--------------------------|--------|
| 3½-in. wired, tree\$0.60 | \$4.20 |
| 4-in., pot               | 3.30   |
| 5-in., pot               | 3.60   |
| 6-in., pot               | 4.05   |
| 8-in., pot               | 6.00   |
| 8-in., garden 1.05       | 8.50   |
| 10-in., garden           | 9.60   |
| 12-in garden 1.95        | 16.00  |



Flower Cutting Shears Cuts and holds flower. No. 175. \$1.49.

#### **Green Thumb Gloves**

Garden and utility gloves for yard work, dusting, painting. Washable. Small, medium, large. 89c per pair.

# **Eezy Wear Garden Gloves**

Made of soft leather. Ideal for garden and similar uses.

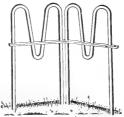
> Dirt-Proof; Durable; Washable

Ladies' Sizes 7 and 8, \$1.80 per pair. Men's Sizes 9 and 10, \$1.90 per pair.

# **Plant Guards Sectional**

Fence

Set of 4 sections makes 39 inches of fence. Made of silver bright galvanized hard carbon steel. 60c per set.







Can be made as heavy or as light as desired by simply putting in the right amount of water. For storing away or for moving, it can be emptied entirely and is light and easy to handle.

Diam. Length Lbs. Lbs.
In. In. Empty Water-No. In. filled 12 1/2 100.....\$12.25

24 24 14 50 160..... **18.00** 18 60 220..... 21.75 24 24 80 400.. 27.50 The above rollers weigh 50 per cent more

when filled with sand; water is more convenient.

> Milcor Pick-Up Cart

Metal body Top opening 18 x 27 in. Capacity 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cu. ft. Wheels 11 in. in diameter. Tires 15/8 in. wide and are of the punctureproof, semi-pneumatic type. The cart has a baked enamel finish. The body is green and the wheels, handle, etc., are orange. \$8.89.



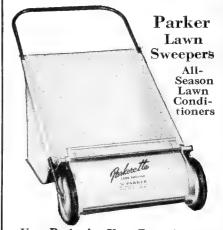
# Hotkaps ·

Help You Grow Earlier, Hardier Vegetables and Flowers.

Strong little hothouses to protect plants from destructive frost, storms, insects. University tests prove HOTKAPS increase yield 18 to 51 percent, thus nearly doubling the early marketable yield and ripening crops three weeks earlier for highest prices. Quick, easy to set.

25 Hotkaps with Setter 95c; 100 with Setter and Tamper \$3.15; 250 Hotkaps with setter and Tamper for \$5.90; 1000 for \$18.35; 5000 lots, \$18.20 per 1000; 10,000 lots, \$18.05 per 1000. Steel Setter \$1.95. Fibreboard Setter 20c. Not ppd.





Use Parker's Year-Round Lawn Valet for a healthier, more beautiful lawn. Early spring cleaning of winter refuselate spring grooming—summer-long prun-ing and weeding—quicker, easier reaping of the fall leaf harvest-cleans sidewalks, too. Makes year-round lawn care a genuine pleasure.

20-in. Parkerette ...........\$33.50 28-in. Parkerette ...... 41.00

Made of heavy gauge steel, finished in baked green enamel; strong, permanent and easy to use. The loop at the top slips around the plant stems eliminates tying, yet holds the plant in the desired upright posi-

16 in. over-all, 70c per doz.; 30 in. overall, \$1.60 per doz.; 66 42 30 16 42 in. over-all, \$1.90

per doz.; 66 in. over-all, \$3.10 per doz.; 78 in. over-all, \$4.30 per doz.



# LAWN AND GARDEN EQUIPMENT

# Planet Jr. Cultivators and Seeders



No. 300-A SEEDER. Will plant in continuous rows any seed from the smallest up to bush lima beans. Capacity  $3\frac{1}{2}$  qts. Corcave rear wheel for upland soil. \$34.95.

PLANET JR. No. 17. The most popular of all wheel hoes. The attachments, hoes, cultivator teeth and plow are all oil-hardened and tempered for better work and longer wear. \$13.25.



No. FH-4. WISS FLOWER-HOLDING SHEARS. Cuts and holds stem with one clean cut. Bright nickel finish. \$2.25.

#### PLANET JR. EDGER No. 2



This fine lawn edger works quickly, neatly and with a minimum of effort. Can be used on curved or straight walks. With reasonable care, will last indefinitely.

ALL PLANET JR. TOOLS ABOVE, EXCEPT EDGER, PREPAID IN CIN-CINNATI AND SUBURBS.

#### STAKES, BAMBOO

|                | (   | P | a | iı | n | t | e | d | ( | G | 'n | e | e | ı | 1) | ) |   |  |   | Doz.   | 100    |
|----------------|-----|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|----|---|---|--|---|--------|--------|
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | ft. |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |  |   | \$0.20 | \$1.35 |
| 2              | ft. |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |  | ٠ | .25    | 1.50   |
| $2\frac{1}{2}$ | ft. |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |   | ۰ |  |   | .30    | 1.75   |
| 3              |     |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |  |   |        | 2.00   |
| 4              | ft. |   |   |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |   |   |  |   | .40    | 2.50   |





## Roto Edger

This all-purpose lawn and garden edger makes hardto-do jobs easy. Throw away your grass shears; get off your knees. No more plowing drudgery.
No. 20. One-wheel . . . \$5.45

No. 30. Two-wheel... 6.45

# Sudbury Soil-Testing Kits

Tests for nitrogen, phosphorus, potash, and acidity.

It will give the gardener complete information about the requirements of his soil.

Home Gardener's Kit (20 complete Jr. Professional Kit (makes 50 tests). 5.89
Horticultural Kit (makes 130 tests). 14.95
De Luxe Model A Kit (makes 200 tests). 

#### WATERPROOF TREE WRAPPING **PAPER**

Rolls 4 in. wide, about 150 ft. long. 95c.

#### Soil Soaker



| Length Diameter                  |      |   |   | Each    |
|----------------------------------|------|---|---|---------|
| No. 0 12 ft. 2 in. (flat)        | <br> |   |   | .\$1.80 |
| No. 1 18 ft. 2 in. (flat)        | <br> |   | ٠ | . 2.40  |
| No. 2 30 ft. 2 in. (flat)        | <br> | ٠ | ۰ | . 3.70  |
| <b>No. 3</b> 50 ft. 2 in. (flat) | <br> | ۰ | ٠ | . 6.00  |

#### **Cedar Plant Tubs**

Made from wood containing a supply of natural oil, which prevents the rotting action of water. Green only. Handles available at 75c per pair installed.

|     |    | Diameter |                    |
|-----|----|----------|--------------------|
| No. | 2  |          | 7 in <b>\$1.45</b> |
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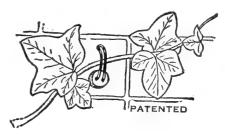
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|       |         | up to 8 in       |
| No. 3 | 8¼ in.  | up to 12 in 1.20 |
| No. 4 | 10¼ in  | 2.20             |

# Wik-Fed Pots



Self-Watering

Sub-irrigating pots with reservoir base. Made of an easily cleaned plastic. The spun-glass wick feeds water and plant food from the reservoir. Violets and other indoor plants thrive in these pots. Colors: ivory, green, red, pink,

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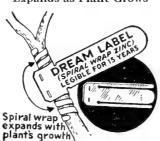
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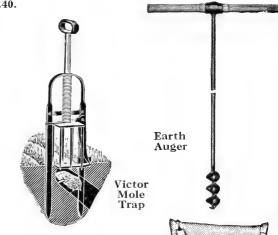
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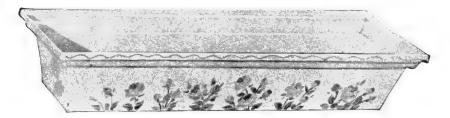
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Garden Trowel



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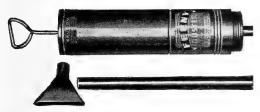
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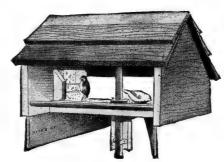
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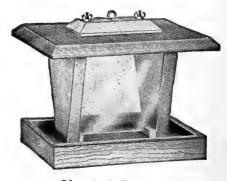
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# PLANT A HOME GARDEN

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Gardening in any year is one of the most useful and satisfying of avocations. It is to be regretted that so many American citizens are deprived of the opportunity to learn by experience about the soil and the plants from which they derive their daily food. It is good to think that millions of us have space on farms or in back yards where we can cultivate some vegetables and fruits, good for our bodies, and some grass and flowers and shade trees which renew our spirits. We all recognize that the home is the very center of the American way of life. That it should be attractive outside as well as in, goes without saying. And when a garden also makes a contribution in wholesome food, it adds to the sense of permanence, security and justifiable pride in American citizenship.

No one can predict with certainty the character of the demand and the distribution of fruits and vegetables as they may be affected by world needs and transportation difficulties. Gardens and pantries are very practical storages of food against emergencies. Modern techniques of preservation, including home freezers, low-temperature locker storage, pressure cookers, improved home canning instructions and equipment, and the storage of several kinds of fresh vegetables and fruits in cool basements and earth pits, are good ways to insure against possible shortages. Home gardens are important money savers, and the advantages increases with the size of the family.

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# Beautify Your Garden With ... McCullough Roses

Our Roses are grown in Northern Ohio. They are strong, two-year-old, field-grown, budded stock. Field-grown, budded Roses are stronger and better prepared for the garden than other Rose plants. We do not offer any southern-grown Roses.

CULTURE. Give Roses the best location possible. They want well-drained soil which will not become too dry and where there is facility for watering. They need at least a half day's full sunlight. It is seldom that real success can be achieved with Roses unless they have good drainage, some sunlight and shelter from strong winds. Roses are best grown in well-prepared beds fertilized with stable manure, shredded cow manure, bonemeal or special rose food. These fertilizers should be applied when preparing the bed at planting time and

at two-month intervals during the growing season. The dimensions of the bed at two-mount intervals during the growing season. The dimensions of the bed should suit the varying size and vigor of the plants which it is intended to hold. A width of 4 feet allows the gardener to reach the center of the bed from either side and will accommodate either two or three rows of Roses. MULCH-ING during the summer months is beneficial. It eliminates the need for cultivation and retains moisture in the soil. We recommend Terralite, peat moss, or ground corn cobs for mulching Roses.

## New Hybrid Tea Roses

BUCCANEER. Pat. 1119. Many large, rich Chinese-yellow blooms on long, strong stems. This tall, robust plant is very outstanding. \$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.

CAPISTRANO. Pat. 922. AARS. Glowing rose-pink, richly perfumed. Ideal for cutting. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. P.A.F. AARS, 1953. Called America's first truly red Rose. Rich, vivid crimson with overtones of oxblood-red. Long, high-centered, many petaled flowers. Plant compact and sturdy. \$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.

CRIMSON GLORY. Large, semi-double, full, deep velvety crimson. Very fragrant. full, deep velvety crimson. Very frag \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

ECLIPSE. Pat. 172. The Rose with the streamlined bud. Long, tapering, 2-inch buds produced on sturdy stems. Brilliant golden yellow. Very disease resistant. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

ERNIE PYLE. Pat. 673. Gloriously free flowering, with much beauty and charm. Named for America's most beloved war correspondent. Ovoid buds of warm rose-pink open slowly to an extravagant display of blooms, to which a suffusion of yellow starting at the base gives that final touch. A vigorous grower with disease-resistant foliage. \$1.75

each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

FRED HOWARD. Pat. 1006. AARS.
Handsome 4-inch, double blooms of golden orange with pink shadings; long stems. Very double. \$2.50 each; 3 or more,

\$2.20 each.

HELEN TRAUBEL. Pat. 1028. AARS. Large, long-pointed buds open to pink, with outer petals lighter, approaching white. \$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.40 each.

LOWELL THOMAS. Pat. 595. AARS. Large, vibrant, clear yellow flowers. Sturdy upright plant. Slight tea fragrance. Excellent for cutting. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. Pat. 537. AARS. Deep pink. Perfectly formed, high-centered blooms. Long stems, fine for cutting. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

MIRANDY. Pat. 632. AARS. Huge, dark crimson flowers. Fragrant. Strong grower. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.

NOCTURNE. Pat. 713. AARS. Long, streamlined buds. Flowers bright cardinalred with dark shadings. Fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.

PEACE. Pat. 591. AARS. Flowers are extra large and long lasting, their tints of yellow, pale, gold, cream and ivory having a varying blush of pink on the ruffled petal edges. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

RUBAIYAT. Pat. 758. AARS. Buds brilliant red, opening to flowers of deep crimson. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.
WHITE BRIARCLIFF. Produces many

white flowers throughout the season. grant. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

# Old Favorite Hybrid Tea Roses

All varieties, \$1.35 each; 3 or more, \$1.20 each; \$13.50 per doz.

BETTY UPRICHARD. Semi-double; salmon-pink with coppery reverse. Fragrant. CALEDONIA. Large, white, high-centered flowers. Fragrant.

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Clear scarletcrimson. Long-pointed buds; large flowers.

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. A combination of yellow and raspberry-red. Fragrant.

EDITOR McFARLAND. Large, deep pink. Long stems. Fragrant.

GOLDEN DAWN. Sunflower-yellow, flushed old-rose

McGREDY'S SCARLET. Scarlet flowers on long stems.

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Clear vellow buds and flowers on vigorous, well-foliaged

MME. JULES BOUCHE. A bushy, vigorous grower. Mildly fragrant, white flowers.

MRS. P. S. DU PONT. Deep yellow with

well-shaped buds. Low, compact grower. PINK DAWN. Long-pointed buds. Double: deep rose to lively pink. Vigorous. Fra-

POINSETTIA. Large flowers of clear scarlet-red, which neither blue nor fade.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. Large, fragrant, multicolored blooms of scarlet, yellow, cerise and flame.

RADIANCE. Two-toned pink-light silvery tone inside, deeper on outside. Fragrant, free blooming.

Floribunda Roses

FASHION. Pat. 789. AARS. Luminous coral-pink overlaid with gold, deepening to a reddish tone. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each.

GOLDILOCKS. Pat. 672. Double, rich golden yellow, 3-inch blooms. \$1.50 each;

3 or more, \$1.30 each.
MA PERKINS. Pat. 1143. AARS. 1953. Lovely red-touched, coral-pink buds with yellow suffusions open to coral and shellpink blooms. Sturdy, compact plants with good foliage; disease resistant. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.
PINOCCHIO. Pat. 484. The buds are rich

PINOCCHIO. Pat. 484. The buds are rich salmon, flushed with gold at the base, gradually changing to clear pink. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.30 each.

RED PINOCCHIO. Pat. 812. Velvety red blooms produced in great profusion. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.30 each.

VOGUE. Pat. 926. AARS. Deep begoniarose flowers suffused with coral, 3½ to 4 inches across when fully expanded. \$2.25

inches across when fully expanded. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

# Climbing Roses

ALOHA. Pat. 948. Large, rose-pink blooms in long-stemmed clusters. Very double; good form. Blooms in June. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

BLAZE. Scarlet everblooming climbing Rose. Will grow to a considerable height. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.30 each.

DOUBLOONS. Pat. 152. Best all-purpose

yellow climber. Blooms profusely. Hardy. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.75 each. PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. Vivid

scarlet flowers carried in great masses in June. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.30 each.

# PERENNIAL VEGETABLE ROOTS AND PLANTS

**Cultural Directions For Either Fall or Spring Planting** 

ASPARAGUS-Prepare ground by deep plowing or spading. Set plants 12 to 18 inches apart each way, 3 inches deep, with roots well spread out. Every fall mulch the bed with well-rotted manure, ashes and salt. During the growing season dust the foliage several times with a mixture of 85% sulphur and 15% arsenate of lead to kill the slugs and to prevent rust.

RHUBARB-Prepare the soil as for asparagus. Set the plants with crown or eye 2 inches under ground. Plant 2 to 3 feet apart each way. Mulch in winter. Give clean cultivation the same as for any other crop.

HORSERADISH-Thrives best in deep, moist, OKSERADISH—Inrives uest in deep, moist, fertile soil. Set the roots 12 to 15 inches apart either horizontally or upright and in furrows 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. Give clean cultivation. Roots are ready to dig in the fall.

#### **ASPARAGUS**

PARADISE. Normal crop ONE YEAR EARLIER than other varieties and produces more heavily throughout its life. Mild flavor. Only six or eight stalks required to make a pound. Ideally suited for freezing; retains its superb taste. Strongly rust-resistant. 2-yr.-old roots, \$1.40 per doz.; 25 for \$2.25; \$5.50 per 100, postpaid

MARY WASHINGTON. The finest standard variety. Makes a heavy growth, ready to cut early and continues over a long season. 2-yr.-old roots, \$1.20 per doz.; 25 for \$2.00; \$5.00 per 100, postpaid.

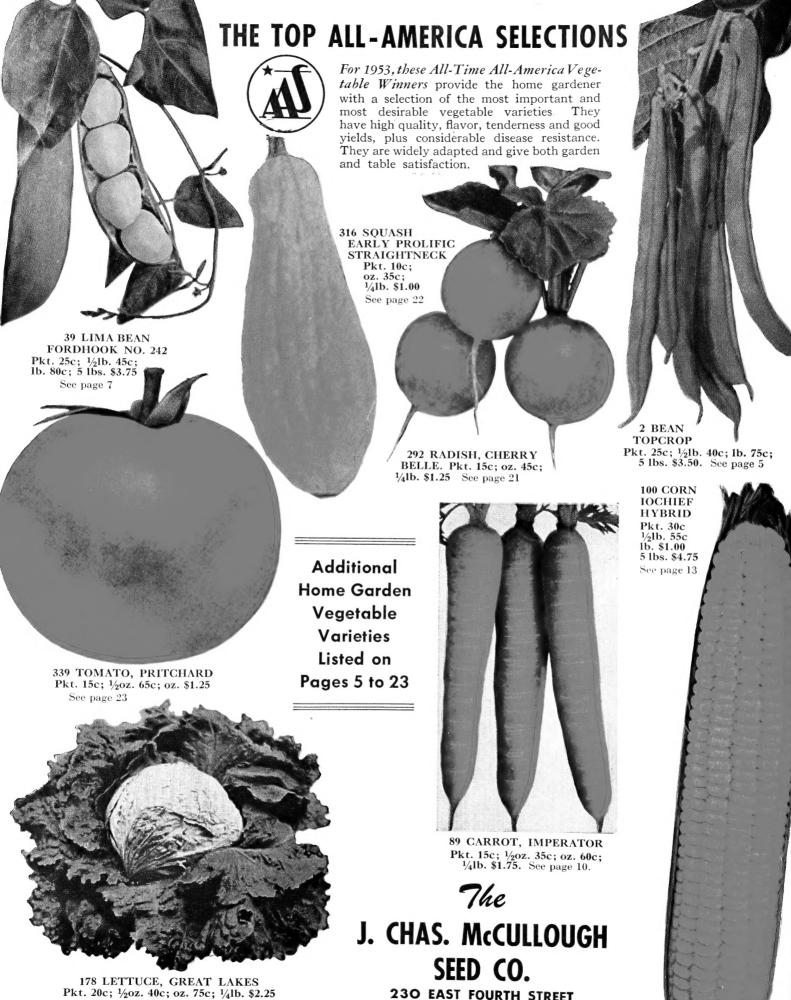
#### NEW RED RHUBARB

MacDONALD. A bright red Rhubarb with large stalk, very tender and succulent. MacDonald requires less sugar for cooking than any of the old standard varieties. It yields heavily and lasts a lifetime. Strong divisions, 50c each; 5 for \$2.00, postpaid.

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